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The New York Times.

THE WEATHER
Cloudy, strong northwesterly winds today; Thursday fair.
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BOMBS THROWN, GENERAL KILLED, IN PETROGRAD

Shots Fired Monday on Group of Political Demonstrators in Streets of the Capital.

LABOR LEADERS ROUSED

Placard City with Proclamation of Protest Against "Such Revolting Acts."

GREAT MAY DAY FESTIVAL

Whole Population Join in Processions Without Any Disturbances Being Reported.

PETROGRAD, May 1.—There were street disorders here yesterday during which bombs were thrown. Major Gen. Kashtalinski was killed.

The Executive Committee of the workmen's and soldiers' delegates today placarded the city with the following proclamation:

"Yesterday many regrettable incidents occurred in the capital. Notably an unknown young man killed General Kashtalinski. Shots were fired on a group of political demonstrators and bombs were thrown. Some individuals, posing as members of the Executive Committee, arrested Landed Proprietor Lodyjenski.

"Only madmen or enemies of national liberty are capable of such revolting acts, which might compromise the Russian revolution. The Executive Committee condemns them severely and appeals to all citizens to prevent a repetition of such acts as would provoke anarchy and a disorganization of the forces of the revolution."

The capital today inaugurated its first great May Day fête without fear of opposition from any reactionary quarter. The weather was beautiful and numberless processions passed along the streets throughout the day.

Everything passed off in perfect order, although a million persons participated in the parades. The Government had proclaimed the day a general holiday, and all the Government offices and even the restaurants in the city were closed.

CAPITAL'S BUSINESS STOPS.

Even Restaurants and Cafes Closed for Monster Celebration.

By HERBERT BAILEY.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PETROGRAD, May 1.—All Petrograd is en fête today and business is at a complete standstill. Every means of conveyance is stopped, and it is even impossible to obtain any service whatsoever in the hotels, while the restaurants and cafés are closed.

The streets are filled with unending processions carrying banners with almost every kind of inscription from "The Land and Will of the People" to "Long Live the Republic." These processions are composed of all types, from soldiers to children. Women, some wearing red handkerchiefs over their heads, are particularly conspicuous. They are accompanied by bands whose favorite air is the "Marseillaise," and occasionally people burst forth into a popular song of freedom.

The Semyonousky Guard Regiment, which was led by its Colonel, proudly displayed a banner inscribed "We will die, but will not yield." As the regiment passed it was loudly cheered. In front of the German embassy is a banner bearing the words "Down with militarism." An inscription across the front of the Winter Palace and Marinsky Palace, where the Government sits in session is "Long live the International." This indeed is the predominant note of the processions.

Everything is passing in an orderly manner, and there is no disposition whatever to create disturbances, although there are civilians armed with rifles and bayonets.

SLEW 400 NAVAL OFFICERS.

Helsingfors Shipbuilder Tells of Revolt of the Baltic Fleet.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 1.—How the higher officers of the Russian Baltic fleet at Helsingfors, the capital of Finland, were slain during the Russian revolution and how the Admiral himself, though he had gone over to the revolution, was also killed, was related today by G. S. Westman, a shipbuilder of Helsingfors, who has come here to purchase supplies.

"During the night of March 16 I was awakened by shooting in the streets," he said. "Fighting continued for two days, the sailors of the Baltic fleet attacking their officers in their homes. I have heard estimates as high as 400 as the number of officers killed.

"Admiral Neppenin, one of Russia's ablest naval commanders, was among the killed, although he had gone over to the new Government, and was the man who arrested Governor General Seyn, later turning him over to the revolutionary chiefs. He was hated by the sailors. Leaving his ship the last day of the revolution, he noticed a sailor did not salute him. He reprimanded him, whereupon the sailor shot the Admiral.

"The sailors had lists of all the officers and their residences. They killed most of the high officers and spared the younger ones. The sailors did not harm a single civilian and maintained order in the city."

RUSSIA'S WAR DEBT NEARING $20,000,000,000

American-Russian Chamber of Commerce Outlines Financial Position and Prospects.

"In spite of the tremendous burden of war indebtedness, necessitating the payment of interest charges of over $1,000,000,000 per year, Russia, with the proper co-operation, will be able to solve its financial problems effectively," is

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New Army Recruiting Record; Navy Nearing War Strength

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Yesterday's recruiting for the regular army set a new record, with 2,556 men. Illinois took the lead with 368. Pennsylvania, with 324, was second; New York, with 228, third, and Indiana, with 220, fourth. The total recruiting for April was 40,258.

The enlisted strength of the navy now has reached 86,326, within less than 700 of the full war quota now authorized.

The marine corps has already completed recruiting its full authorized strength of 17,400, but both services will continue recruiting campaigns without modification, as bills pending in Congress are expected to give the navy an authorized total strength of 150,000, and raise the marine corps to 30,000.

NEW WAR TAX BILL IS TO BE RECAST

Ways and Means Committee Virtually Rejects the Draft Submitted to It.

RAISES INCOME RATES

Approximate Levy of 50% on Incomes Exceeding $500,000 —Profits Tax Assailed.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—The War Taxation bill met a setback today when the House Committee on Ways and Means virtually rejected the work of its sub-committee, overturned two of its fundamental recommendations, and began a revision of the measure. The ill feeling became so apparent at today's meeting of the full committee that a hurried adjournment was forced. A three hours' recess was taken in the hope of smoothing out some of the difficulties, but comparatively slow progress was made at the later session.

Not only was there intense dissatisfaction expressed with the recommendations of the sub-committee, but it was accused of exceeding its authority in proceeding with a draft of the Tax bill without consulting other members of the committee.

The day of wrangling, which was especially serious because of the desire to report a nonpartisan bill supported by a unanimous committee, produced these two results:

It was decided to strike out the provision increasing the income tax rate at 33 per cent. on all incomes above $500,000 per annum, this levy to be in addition to existing income taxes. This means that all large incomes will be taxed approximately 50 percent. of their total.

It was further voted that the tax bill shall raise $1,800,000,000, as originally planned and suggested by the Treasury Department. The sub-committee draft would have raised about $1,300,000,000. The decision to add $500,000,000 to the total of the bill probably will make necessary the redrafting of almost the entire bill as presented by the sub-committee.

The highest new income tax rate suggested by the subcommittee was 30 per cent. on incomes above $1,000,000. In raising the rate to 33 per cent. on all incomes above $500,000 the full committee made necessary a corresponding readjustment of the rates on lower incomes, beginning at $5,000, where the surtaxes start.

Final action was not taken on the intermediate rates, although a tentative agreement was reached. It is understood that little interest was taken in the question of exemptions, and they probably will be fixed at $3,000 for single persons and $2,000 for married persons. A normal tax of 4 per cent., inclusive of the present tax on incomes less than $5,000 probably will be fixed, and the comparatively higher surtaxes will begin on incomes between $40,000 and $60,000, which will bear 8 per cent. The surtaxes above and below the 8 per cent. rate will be in proportion.

The session of the full committee today was acrimonious, and despite the injunction of secrecy it became known about the House that the committee was in turmoil from the start. There is now little doubt that the work of the sub-committee, for the most part, will be discarded, and it will require several days for the full committee to reach anything approaching a harmonious agreement on the bill.

The sub-committee consisted of Chairman Kitchin, Rainey, and Dixon, Democrats, and Fordney and Longworth, Republicans.

The full committee is now working on the basis of producing $700,000,000 by the income tax alone.

The excess profits tax proposals will be attacked by the committee tomorrow, with every indication that the sub-committee plan will be greatly altered, if not wholly discarded. It proposes doubling the present rate of 8 per cent. on profits exceeding $3,000. Many Republican members are not on the sub-committee say that they will never agree to so large an increase.

The absolute repeal of the excess profits tax law was advocated today by one Republican member of the committee. He insisted that the sub-committee's plan to double the present 8 per cent. tax would ruin industry during the war and afterward.

It developed today that the bill, as framed by the sub-committee, would make radical changes in postal rates. Zones for second-class matter, with greatly increased rates, would be established. The proposed rates follow: Two cents a pound, or for each fraction thereof, in the first zone; 3 cents in the second and third, 4 cents in the fourth and fifth, 5 cents in the sixth and seventh, and 8 cents in the eighth.

In addition, 1 cent would be added to the cost of mailing each ounce, or fraction thereof, of first-class matter, and postcards, would require a two-cent stamp instead of a one-cent one.

An income tax of 50 per cent. on the incomes of more than $1,000,000 is advocated in a brief which has been submitted by the Association for an Equitable Federal Income Tax to the Finance Committee of the Senate and the Ways and Means Committee of the House of Representatives. It its brief the association says:

"The tax rate on large incomes should be greatly increased. The rate on incomes in excess of $1,000,000 should be at least 50 per cent., and the rate on large incomes of over $30,000 to $50,000 should be proportionately high. The exemption should not be reduced, as most of the working people are paying too large a proportion of their incomes in taxes already. The excess profits tax should be made rapidly progressive to a maximum of 75 per cent. on abnormally large profits. There should be full publicity as to the sources and amounts of incomes, and the contemplated bond issue should not be exempt from taxation."

The Greenbrier—White Sulphur Spgs., W. Va. Ideal time for the cure. Only one night from New York.—Adv.

FRENCH SMOTHER TWO ATTACKS ON CHAMPAGNE HILLS

Artillery and Machine Guns Break Up German Waves, Inflicting Heavy Losses.

520 PRISONERS CAPTURED

Violent Gun Duels Along Front North of the Aisne and Near Rheims.

40,000 CAPTURED IN MONTH

British Take Over 19,000 Germans, While French Total Since April 16 Is 21,000.

PARIS, May 1.—After consolidating their new positions on the wooded hills east of Rheims during the night, the French today beat off two strong counterattacks, inflicting heavy losses on the enemy by artillery and machine gun fire. The German attacks were delivered against the French lines in the district northeast of Mont Haut, where the point of the French wedge reaches to the approaches to the Nauroy-Moronvilliers road.

Five hundred and twenty prisoners were captured by the French in yesterday's fighting, making the total taken since the offensive began well over 21,000.

Artillery fighting of considerable violence continues along the Chemin-des-Dames, north of the Aisne, and in the region northwest of Rheims.

The communication issued by the War Office tonight reads as follows:

Quite spirited artillery actions took place along the Chemin-des-Dames, particularly near Hurtebise and Craonne, as well as in the region of Courcy.

In Champagne there was violent artillery fighting south of Moronvilliers. In this region the enemy twice delivered strong counterattacks against the positions taken by us yesterday northeast of Mont Haut. Our barrage fire and the fire of our machine guns on both occasions broke the waves of assault and inflicted heavy losses on the enemy.

The number of unwounded prisoners taken by us in the fighting of April 30 was 520; we also captured 5 cannon in the period from April 24 to 30.

Sub-Lieutenant Delorme (Dorme?) has brought down his twenty-first enemy machine; Adjutant Madon his ninth. Adjutant Lufbery, (of New Haven, Conn.,) attached to the Lafayette Escadrille, has up to the present brought down nine German airplanes.

The afternoon statement said:

South of the Oise we repulsed a German attack on one of our outposts in the region of Barisis.

Along the Chemin-des-Dames the artillery fighting was rather violent. In the sector between Troyon and Hurtebise patrol encounters occurred. A German reconnoitring party which attempted to approach our lines east of Hurtebise was driven back by our fire.

In Champagne the night passed in relative quiet in the sector of our attack, where our troops are organizing the captured positions. The number of prisoners captured by us in the fighting yesterday, and actually enumerated, is more than 400.

There is nothing to report from the remainder of the front.

French Failed, Germans Say.

BERLIN, May 1, (via London.)—A French stormnig attack with fresh divisions failed yesterday between Prosnes and Auberive, says the official statement issued today by the German Army Headquarters staff. The Germans in this area, it is added, hold complete possession of their positions.

On the western front yesterday twenty-five British and French airplanes and five balloons were forced down. The statement follows:

Army Group of Crown Prince Rupprecht—Near Arras and on both banks of the Scarpe the artillery fighting was continued, with varying degrees of intensity. On the front of our fighting line near St. Quentin minor engagements occur daily between our protecting troops and the advance troops of the enemy. St. Quentin itself is often under fire, and yesterday the cathedral received five hits.

Army Group of the German Crown Prince—On the Aisne-Marne Canal and in Champagne, between Sillery and the Suippe lowland, the artillery battle continued, with few intervals. Between Soissons and Rheims it was especially intense toward evening. Near Berry-au-Bac and Brimont and east of Courcy French reconnoitring detachments which attempted night advances were repulsed.

In Champagne during the afternoon the fire increased to a point of great intensity for several hours. Shortly after midday a French attack was launched between Prosnes and Auberive. Fresh divisions were brought up, with the object of wresting from us positions on the heights south of Nauroy and Moronvilliers. The storming attack failed, in the face of our stubborn resistance, after a fluctuating struggle. Baden, Saxon, and Brandenburg regiments fighting in this area are in complete possession of their positions. The enemy suffered heavy losses.

A second attack, launched from the front south of Nauroy, did not enable the French to modify their failure in the slightest degree.

Army Group of Duke Albrecht—There is nothing new to report.

Twenty-two enemy airplanes were shot down yesterday in aerial fighting and three by anti-aircraft guns.

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Commission to Russia To Leave America Soon

WASHINGTON, May 1. — The American commission to Russia will leave for Petrograd in the very near future. Details of its movements probably will not be made public. President Wilson has been in touch with the men he desires to serve on the commission, but it was said today that no formal announcement of the personnel was ready. Elihu Root, former Secretary of State, who will head the commission, has been consulted on the entire membership.

SOCIALISTS PLAN TO DISCREDIT MR. ROOT

Yale Professor, a Russian, Suggests That Commission Should Be Revised.

DANGER OF SEPARATE PEACE

Says Socialists Here Have Already Written and Will Cable to Impugn Commission.

Professor Alexander Petrunkevitch, son of the first floor leader of the first Russian Duma, and now a Professor at Yale, warned a gathering of representative men at the Hotel Astor last night that, because of the activities of Socialists in this country, the proposed American commission to Russia, and notably its head, Elihu Root, would be met there on its arrival with the distrust of the Social Democrats, now in power. He said he knew the Socialist press in New York was writing already about the personnel of the commission and that they would cable information about it to Russia. "I know that the men will be met there with distrust," he declared.

Professor Petrunkevitch added that despite reassuring reports to the contrary there existed a real and very grave danger of the new Russia making separate peace, particularly if the peace terms which the German Chancellor is reported about to offer coincide with the demands of the Social Democrats. The effect, he said, would be a five-year war for France, England, and the United States. To offset these grave dangers he urged his influential audience to appeal to President Wilson and Mr. Root to place on it men acceptable to the Russian Social Democrats. He did not, however, advocate Mr. Root's removal.

Professor Petrunkevitch, [illegible] a native of Pskoff, Russia. In 1903 he became a lecturer at Harvard, and in 1910 he was appointed Assistant Professor of Zoology at Yale. He was Chairman of the section of comparative physiology at the International Congress on Zoology held in Boston in 1907.

The speech was delivered at the fortieth meeting of the Economic Club, of which Frank A. Vanderlip is President, and the gathering, which overflowed the grand ballroom of the hotel and filled the Rose Room, included some of the best known and wealthiest men in the country, and Ambassadors and Ministers to the United States from half a dozen countries. Among the speakers were Charles E. Hughes, Sir Ernest H. Shackleton, and Ambassador Gerard. Mr. Hughes advocates sending an American contingent abroad as soon as possible. Professor Petrunkevitch said in part:

Words of Caution.

"After the first news of the revolution and of its success stirred enthusiasm in this country, everybody expected that something would happen in Russia. Some thought that the overthrow of the Government would be detrimental to the cause of the Allies. Others, like myself, expected that the enthusiasm which carried the Russian people to the overthrow of the old, hated autocracy would carry also further to victories over the German armies. I am afraid, gentlemen, that I came here today not to produce enthusiasm but rather to caution you. News coming from abroad is very disquieting. In vain Ambassador Francis cables that this news is wrong, and that the Government is in power, and the Government itself through the Foreign Secretary states that everything in Russia is settling down and becoming orderly, but no Government in the world would permit itself to say that it is weak and has to listen to a crowd of men who are controlling it only because they are themselves at that moment able to make trouble. If everything is not all right then in Russia, where does the danger come from?

"We hear from the various parties, except the extremists and the pacifists, that no one in Russia wants peace, and I think it is quite true. There is no party at present except the pro-Germans and the extreme pacifists who want peace. But supposing that the Government were not strong enough to withstand the pressure brought upon it by the Social Democrats and the Social Revolutionists; supposing that it would have to concede the demands made upon it; that the army in consequence would be disorganized and the two or three million of German soldiers who are now held in the Eastern front by the Russian armies would be able to be thrown into the west to controvert the British and the French; supposing that all the millions of workmen in Russia were also released to do work that would be of use to the Germans, that they would furnish wheat and cotton and oil and minerals and metals for the Germans, where would be the effect of the British blockade? It would be wiped out.

Threat of Socialists Here.

"The President of the United States has decided to send a commission to Russia with the high purpose of strengthening the Russian Government in its first steps to make Russia a free republic, a democracy among the democracies of the world. There can be no higher purpose, and certainly everybody in this country ought to applaud our President for this desire, but, gentlemen, this plan is fraught with danger, and the danger lies in the selection of the members for this commission.

"I personally have the highest admiration for ex-Secretary Root. I do not know who the other members on that commission are, but I know that the press—the socialistic press in New York—is already writing about them, and I know that they are going to cable over into Russia. I know that the men will be met there with distrust. I know that

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PEACE SPEECH IN BERLIN TOMORROW; CHANCELLOR TO STATE AIMS 'CLEARLY'; CALL FOR OUR TROOPS GAINS FAVOR

FEW SHIPS FOR TROOPS

Transportation Chief Obstacle to Sending Forces Abroad Now.

CABINET WEIGHS PROBLEM

Several Members Anxious to Grant France's Appeal at Earliest Moment.

PERCY SOUNDS A WARNING

British Shipping Expert Says Construction Is Not Keeping Pace with Losses.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—As a result of the strong plea for the immediate dispatch of some American troops to France, made by Marshal Joffre and the other members of the French mission, the Government is giving the most earnest consideration to the question, and a very strong movement is on foot within the Administration to grant France's wish. President Wilson has not indicated his position, but it is known that he is giving much thought to the desire of the French mission. It was learned today, following a short Cabinet meeting, that many of the members of the Cabinet were inclining toward the policy of sending over an early detachment.

No decision has yet been reached, and the matter is in the hands of the President. Some members of the General Staff have been impressed with the force of the French plea, but most of them are still inclined to believe that it is better military policy for the United States to hold all its forces on this side of the Atlantic until a fully equipped [illegible] can be transported. It is understood, however, that Major Gen. Hugh L. Scott, Chief of Staff, will throw his influence in favor of an early expedition.

Washington was filled today with rumors of all sorts to the effect that actual preparations had been made for sending troops in the early Summer, but these were declared by the War Department authorities to be without foundation. The Cabinet was in session only a few minutes this afternoon, but Secretary Baker remained with the President for an hour's conference after it had adjourned. It was supposed that the question of sending troops to France was one of the subjects they discussed. Mr. Baker himself has refrained from expressing an opinion publicly on the matter, indicating that it was for the President to decide, but it is understood that he has heretofore adhered to the view of the majority of the General Staff that no troops should be sent immediately.

Ships the Chief Problem.

It is realized that the transportation problem enters into the question of sending troops, whether they are to be sent immediately or to wait until a large army has been trained. The French view is that it is more feasible to send them in small detachments than to wait and try to ship a whole army at once. If the Government decides to follow the French suggestion the question will arise as to how much space on freighters which are engaged in carrying food and supplies can be spared for troops.

The most available plan, according to the general view expressed here, would be to split the first division of 20,000 men into very small groups, sending them over little by little, rather than commandeering at once ships enough to carry the whole division. This, it is believed, would cause less disorganization in the vital food shipments. General Bridges of the British mission lectured at the War College this afternoon, and it is understood stressed the need for giving troops training at the battlefront to prepare them for actual fighting.

An important conference on shipping matters was held today at the State Department, at which Secretary Lansing, Mr. Balfour, Sir George Foster, Acting Prime Minister of Canada; Admiral Sir Dudley de Chair, Sir Richard Crawford, commercial adviser to the British Embassy; Secretary Redfield, Frank L. Polk, counselor of the State Department, and Chairman Denman of the Shipping Board were present. Expert advisers, both American and British, were also there.

May Form Allied War Board.

There is a strong possibility that a permanent allied war conference may be established here following the departure of the leading members of the present missions, to assure proper co-operation, between the United States and its allies, industrial and economic as well as military. It is possible that it may be made up not only of specialists from the French and British missions, who may remain for a time, if not indefinitely, but that it may be joined by representatives of Italy, Russia, and other nations.

This plan is understood to be under consideration by the American Government, and while it has not reached definite form, it is very likely to be discussed at future conferences. It is realized that such a plan would have marked advantages in providing proper co-ordination in the American program for supplying the Allies with war supplies. It was announced today that the United States already had placed much

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Germans Encouraged by Success of Submarines; Beresford Tells London That Losses Are Appalling

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BERLIN, May 1, (via London.)—The return of one U-boat after forty-one days' operations is considered here a splendid record, proving even the increased efficiency of this deadly weapon. German hopes are running very high that the tonnage sunk in April will surpass the million-mark considerably, although it will be some days yet before the reports of incoming U-boats are complete. Even so cautious a man as Minister of Marine Capelle did not hesitate to announce in the General Committee of the Reichstag the other day that the May result would surpass that of previous months considerably.

Neutral ship owners now stopping in Berlin who lately visited England and have a much better insight into the conditions of British navigation and stores at England's disposal than probably her own parliamentarians are extremely pessimistic regarding England's ability to withstand the U-boat war much longer. One of them went so far as to declare that the destruction of tonnage would reach a fatal stage within less than two months. This gentleman also said that considerable neutral tonnage now at sea would never be risked again once it safely reached port, this applying especially to the best ships, the increase in the value of which when peace arrived would fully compensate for losses through idleness. One must therefore reckon with a further shrinkage in the food supplies carried heretofore by neutral vessels, which, according to my source of information, would immediately make itself felt, especially in the industrial districts, where the scarcity is extreme even now, while London, for obvious reasons, is better provided.

British Must Realize Importance of Economy.

LONDON, May 1.—Admiral Lord Beresford, speaking in London today and complaining of the incompleteness of the official returns of the submarine sinkings, said that the losses were appalling. He declared that he was so keen on the matter that he was inclined to risk the penalties of the Defense of the Realm act and tell the people himself, because until they were informed they would not realize the importance of economy.

FRENCH VISITORS HAILED IN SENATE

Chamber Thrown Into Tumult of Enthusiasm When Viviani and Hero of the Marne Appear.

ORATION BY VICE PREMIER

Promises a Grand Welcome to Wilson in France. 'Vivent les Etats-Unis!' Shouts Joffre.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 1. — Not since the Marquis de Lafayette was the guest of the nation in 1822, and was received by the houses of Congress, has the Senate of the United States taken part in a demonstration like that witnessed today. Then it greeted a man who had come first as what might be called a filibuster to aid in the American Revolution, and who afterward played his hand in the revolution of France. Today the lofty ceiling of the Senate rechoed to shouts of welcome for the Vice Premier of the French Republic, the Ambassador from that Government, and for the Marshal of France. Today's demonstration was the Senate's acknowledgment that the United States was now about to go to the assistance of France, repaying the old debt to Lafayette and Rochambeau.

M. Viviani, M. Jusserand, and Marshal Joffre visited the Senate this afternoon by prearrangement, but the welcome that greeted them was spontaneous. The rules of the Senate forbid applause; technically, they forbade Marshal Joffre's admission to the floor. But it seemed today as if the real reason for these rules was that they might give more resounding emphasis to their enthusiastic violation. In the Senate's eagerness to brush aside all restrictions to its welcome, no one thought of challenging any one in the visiting party, and several foreign journalists entered the chamber along with the distinguished guests. The admission of the Marshal of France had been sanctioned in advance by unanimous consent, and the consent seemed to carry with it everything that would make the welcome informal and complete.

The invitation to the visitors had implied that no speeches would be required. But the Senators, the Representatives who were present, and the crowded galleries were not to be satisfied by a mere sight of the visitors. They demanded a speech, and M. Viviani complied in words that will not be forgotten.

Torrent of Shouts for Joffre.

Then the shouts of "Joffre! Joffre! Joffre!" which Senators started, and which was taken up by the topmost tiers of the gallery, induced the hero of the Marne to turn, as he was leaving the chamber, and make the shortest speech ever heard in that home of unlimited debate.

"I do not speak English," he said with a benignant smile. Then raising his great right hand, he called out "Vivent les Etats-Unis!" With a military salute, he was gone.

The Senate was satisfied at last, and the shout that rose and fell and rose again was the climax of the day.

The French Mission reached Vice President Marshall's room shortly before 12:30 o'clock. The Vice President was notified and he named Mr. Hitchcock of Nebraska, who has been the active leader of the Committee on Foreign Relations since Chairman Stone's defection, and Mr. Lodge of Massachusetts, the ranking Republican of the committee, to usher the guests into the chamber.

The two Senators crossed the lobby to the Vice President's room and returned at once. M. Viviani entered with Mr. Hitchcock, Marshal Joffre with Mr. Lodge, and the French Ambassador with Admiral Chocheprat. The committee's return was not expected so soon, but grave salutes to Marshal Joffre by two bright-eyed little pages at the door, which the Marshal gravely returned, gave the signal. The Senators clapped

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NO MAY 1 STRIKE, BERLIN REPORTS

Proclaims Agitators' Failure and Offers Reward for Prosecution of Enemy Agents.

CITY OF ESSEN IS ISOLATED

London Hears That Many Rhine Province Munition Workers Vote for Demonstrations.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BERLIN, May 1, (via London.)—There was no strike today in any factory of war materials whatever in or near Berlin, nor, as far as reported this afternoon, anywhere else in Germany. Some workmen's societies had arranged for an outdoor celebration of May 1 as usual, but hardly any men and not many women or children participated despite the fine, warm weather.

Some of the workmen's stores, which do business under supervision of the labor organization, had closed, which greatly excited housewives, who came as usual to make their purchases.

BERLIN, May 1, (via London.)—In announcing the failure of the plans to create holiday strikes the Berlin authorities have offered a reward of 3,000 marks for the prosecution of "agitators in enemy service who are trying to start dissension, especially in the labor ranks, in Germany."

LONDON, May 1.—"In the Rhine provinces more than half the munitions workers decided to strike today," wires the correspondent at The Hague of the Exchange Telegraph Company.

"Essen (home of the great Krupp works) is shut off from the rest of Germany and completely isolated from the world in order to prevent the slightest information about strikes at the Krupp works from leaking out. Strikes are general in small towns near the Dutch frontier."

A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram Company from Amsterdam says:

"The regional organization in Greater Berlin of the Socialist Party, according to the Berliner Tageblatt, has adopted a resolution which says:

"'Since a liberal expansion of the German Constitution will facilitate the speedy inauguration of peace negotiations, we request the Socialist Party committee to strive for the supersession of the policy of promises of small concessions by a thorough democratization of the German Empire.'

"Such action, according to the resolution, would include equal suffrage and responsible Ministers for the empire and the Federal States."

ORDERLY DUTCH MAY DAY.

Russians, Germans, Belgians, and Poles Join in Socialist Parades.

AMSTERDAM, May 1, (via London.)—An orderly Socialist May Day procession was held today. Banners carried by the marchers bore inscriptions calling for peace and the maintenance of Holland's neutrality.

There was also a Socialist procession at Rotterdam, in which Russians, Poles, Germans, and Belgians participated and sang songs in their respective languages. The Russians carried red banners inscribed "Long Live the Russian Republic!" and "Long Live the Proletariat!" At The Hague, when the May Day procession passed the royal palace, the marchers sang the "Internationale," the hymn of the International Socialists. The police did not interfere.

FEW STRIKES IN OTHER CITIES.

May Day Passes Off Without the Usual Labor Demonstrations.

There were no serious May Day labor disturbances outside of New York City. Dispatches from Chicago, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Toledo, and Milwaukee said that the day had passed quietly and that because of the war conditions the big celebrations of former years had not been repeated.

In Pittsburgh many of the industrial plants raised new flags at noon, and the whistles on factories and boats joined with the fog horns in giving a salute. Children in the public schools marched from the buildings and saluted the flag. Enlistments took a jump, 46 men being

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RUMOR OF BERLIN CRISIS

Demands for 'a Strong Man' Current, Reports Reaching Holland Say.

VIENNA BENT ON PEACE

German Conservative Influences Seem Unable to Shake Emperor Charles's Purpose.

TO SEIZE GERMAN GRAIN

Reichstag Deputy Warns Farmers That the New Harvest Will Be Confiscated.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

AMSTERDAM, May 1, (Dispatch to The London Daily Chronicle.)—Chancellor von Bethmann Hollweg's speech, which is expected to deal more fully than before with the Fatherland's war aims, will be delivered in the Reichstag, according to a telegram from Berlin, on Thursday. It is expected that he will go no little length toward satisfying the demands from nearly every German party that the country's position and attitude should be clearly defined.

Meanwhile Austria's keenness for peace is introducing considerable friction in the relations beween the Central Empires. A well-informed correspondent in Germany of the Amsterdam Tijd has in this connection something interesting to say. His statement is as follows:

"The semi-official utterances in the Vienna Fremdenblatt, which is inspired by Count Czernin, regarding the desired peace without annexation have caused great dissatisfaction in German Centre and Conservative circles. This dissatisfaction is quite understandable when it is remembered with what a firm belief these circles are animated with in regard to the submarine war, which they hold will bring England to her knees in a few months.

"Even if these circles do not believe any longer in a complete victory, as they did at the beginning of the war, they still regard it as reckless to act as Vienna has done and to give evidence of a feverish desire for peace.

Importance of Western Front.

"The action which at the moment appears to be imperative alike to the supreme army command and the Imperial German Government consists in defensive action in the west, so as to prevent as far as possible further slaughter, thus not putting the country in the position of having to build up a new Germany while hampered with ruined national forces. This was also the idea of Hindenburg's famous and successful retreat, which must probably be followed by other retreats on a smaller scale as soon as the British heavy artillery comes nearer St. Quentin.

"The destroying force of these British guns has so far been very skillfully evaded. If the German man power can only be sufficiently spared, as above mentioned, the submarine will, it is held with conviction, be able to continue the process which would bring about a state of affairs which would permit of conditions being negotiated for which, if not fitting in with Germany's original plans, would at least satisfy the needs of the moment.

"In Austria the young Emperor is animated by idealistic feelings, which are held also by those supporters of Count Czernin, who are less determined because the internal misery is so great. Already the German party leaders in Austria have been won over to the efforts for peace, on behalf of which Socialists have been sent abroad. But the manner in which the Austrian Government allows the Socialists to have their First of May strike, and even dictates to them, as it were, a manifesto which is based on the feelings of the Russian laborers, is far too severe a trial for Germany, and all the more so now that the Vienna Fremdenblatt has declared that peace at any price can be had from Austria.

"Baron von Hertling, the Catholic Premier of Bavaria, has told the all too idealistic monarch of the Dual Empire what German views are. Still, it is expected that Austria will make only slight concessions, and that a more distinct peace tone will be heard when the German Chancellor speaks."

Admits Berlin Can't Dictate Peace.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

THE HAGUE, May 1.—Owing to the insistence of the Reichstag, Berlin Parliamentary circles are counting on the Chancellor's making new communications regarding Germany's military situation and war aims on Thursday.

The Reichstag swarmed with members today, and already there is much talk and speculation on the burning subject. Theodor Wolff in the Tageblatt, speaking of the expected speech, says:

"The untiring annexationists and status quo disciples have with equal passion demanded that the Chancellor finally disclose his war aims. Dissatisfaction has reigned on all sides since the Vienna Fremdenblatt statements. The Chancellor has been stormed with demands for 'complete frankness.' We must openly admit that Germany is no longer able to dictate peace terms, even if she strove for peace with an outward show of annexation, which is not the case.

"Germany, however, demands a peace that will allow her freedom of trade and independence and guarantee that her economic interests abroad shall be protected, whether they be in Sydney, Yokohama, or Antwerp. The idea of a

war indemnity is not willingly given up, but it is useless to continue a chase which may end in disappointment."

Rumors of a Crisis in Berlin.

AMSTERDAM, May 1. (via London.)—The Weser Zeitung of Bremen reports that Berlin is filled with rumors of a crisis in high Government quarters. The newspaper says that demands are being made that a strong man be placed at the helm of the State.

The whole of Germany's coming grain harvest will be requisitioned by the Government, according to Dr. Georg Heim, Bavarian member of the Center Party in the Reichstag. In a speech at Neustadt Dr. Heim warned the farmers to be prepared for new and heavier restrictions. He said that from the moment of the first ripening the entire crop would be confiscated, and that only from one-quarter to one-third the crop would be left for the farmers. Everything would be organized on military lines.

The farmers, according to Dr. Heim, are to receive the maximum price in addition to a bonus for early thrashing. This measure, he said, was absolutely necessary in order to insure the period of transition to the new harvest.

Dr. Heim then proceeded to condemn the Imperial Chancellor's economic policy as having failed to show sufficient foresight, and, therefore, being responsible for existing conditions.

Austria's Peace Desire Weakening?

Conservative German papers like the Post and the Tageszeitung see in the Vienna Fremdenblatt's second semi-official article, published on April 29, an "intentional toning down" of expressions in a previous article manifesting readiness for peace. The second article declared that Austria-Hungary was strong enough on all fronts to pursue the war and strike hard at any time, if peace thereby could be accelerated and the enemy countries spurned the proffered hand, adding:

"We cannot be forced to an untimely peace by economic and food considerations. We want peace because it is not wise to see nations bleed to death on the battlefield, but we do not need peace more than our enemies, whose wounds are more severe, and whose future is more uncertain."

The Post says jubilantly:

'So Vienna has seen the error of the premature declaration in the direction of peace. Vienna ought to have seen it before, and it will be a good lesson for the future."

Count von Reventlow, in the Tageszeitung, after calling the attention of Germany's Austrian ally to "the uselessness of sentimental bosh about bleeding humanity,' and so forth, says that "the proffered hand would be better employed otherwise."

BELGIAN SOCIALIST ON PEACE.

Huysmans Tells Swedes It Depends Largely on German "Comrades."

STOCKHOLM, May 1, (via London.)—Camille Huysmans, Secretary of the International Socialist Congress, has arrived in Stockholm for the forthcoming peace conference of Socialists. He came from Rotterdam to Gothenburg on a Dutch freighter as a steward.

In an interview with the Social Demokraten the Belgian Socialist is quoted as saying that peace depends on the Russians and the Germans, chiefly the latter. He called attention to the fact that the Russian leaders have declared they wish no annexations, but that the German plans have not been set forth clearly.

"The question of peace," he continued, "depends very largely on whether our party comrades in Germany can force the German Government to state clearly that plans for annexation in the West, as well as in the East, have been abandoned."

CANCELS "ENEMY" ORDER.

German Government Directs Mild Usage of Americans in Berlin.

LONDON, May 1.—The German authorities have ordered the immediate cancellation of the Berlin order placing American residents there in the status of enemy subjects, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from The Hague today.

The first order, adds the message, is regarded as a blunder, the German Foreign Office arguing that Germany does not consider herself at war with the United States. Americans, it is stated, will still be subject to police supervision.

PREDICTED NEW PEACE OFFER.

Duesseldorf Paper Recently Forecast Moderate German Terms.

"The world will be astonished by the moderation of the German peace terms," said the General Anzeiger of Düsseldorf, quoting in a recent dispatch from Berlin a statement given out to foreign correspondents in Berlin. For several weeks it has been intimated that Germany might soon make another peace offer, and recent information from Berlin showed that Chancellor von Bethmann Hollweg was expected soon to make an announcement in regard to international questions, although heretofore no announcement has come from a responsible quarter that a peace offer would actually be made.

For several months a controversy has been in progress in Germany as to the aims of the war. The Socialists, vigorously opposed by the Pan-Germans, are urging a clear statement of Germany's peace terms on the basis of no annexations or indemnities. The Chancellor was recently reported to have decided to defer a definite formulation of peace proposals.

The announcement of the Chancellor's plan to make a peace offer on Thursday receives added weight from the fact that it appears in the Tageblatt, one of the most widely circulated German newspapers.

DISCLOSE GERMAN UNREST.

Press Comments Cabled to Washington Back Popular Grievances.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—More evidence of the serious internal unrest and agitation in Germany that has led to strikes, a demand for the democratization of the German Government, and other reform measures has been received by the State Department in messages from officials of this Government abroad, who have cabled extracts from German newspapers. In an effort to prevent information of this sort reaching the outside world, the German Government is now trying to prevent mails and papers from being sent into Holland and Switzerland, and is also holding back Germans and neutrals who wish to enter those border countries.

One of the telegrams to the Department of State says that the Vossische Zeitung of April 26 published a letter to the Minister of War from the General Committee of Labor Societies with reference to the recent strike in various ammunition factories. The letter said in part:

"The idea of stopping work, at least to such an extent, could not have gained ground if dissatisfaction had not existed among the working class, the chief cause of which is the insufficient regulations for the distribution of food. The workers know the undeniable fact that there are still gathering large quantities of food outside of Government control which can only be obtained at prohibitive prices. This food is consumed by persons who are not giving their whole force to the defense of their country."

The Berliner Tageblatt, in an article published April 26, said:

"The feudal system of holding land by heredity is an inheritance from the time of the humiliation of the German people. This was in order to maintain the brilliancy of certain families at the cost of the majority. The German people in the course of the last twenty-five years have raised themselves, and they now possess a commercial force and general culture more than sufficient to govern themselves and to furnish their own leadership. The hunger for land, which becomes greater as the population increases, will reach unsuspected proportions after the war. All the rightly directed impetus of the present time, as well as the growing intelligence and increasing capacity, and last, but not least, the even stronger driving power of democracy manifested in the present generation—all these forces are setting themselves against special class privileges. The basic principles of equal suffrage for Prussia should be laid as soon as possible, and this will form the preliminary condition upon which all further reforms will rest."

GERMANS HOARD COINS.

Government Preparing to Punish Offenders and Demonetize Metals.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

THE HAGUE, May 1, (via London.)—Great anxiety is felt in Germany owing to the almost complete disappearance of silver, nickel, and copper small change, which is said to be caused by the hoarding of the same by "foolish people." Measures are about to be taken for punishing the offenders, and it is probable that all metal money will be taken out of circulation. Money not given up before a certain date will have only a metal value later on. It is even stated that metal coins have been melted up. It is evident the German people are beginning to have doubts as to the possible value, of German paper money after the conclusion of peace.

The Association of Berlin Landlords has addressed an appeal to the War Office asking that brass and copper door latches be not removed, as threatened. The landlords state that the houses already have greatly suffered by the removal of stoves, wash kettles, &c., and recommend that captured guns, &c., which are only used for show, should be sacrificed instead. The War Office is considering the question.

The well-known Berlin actor, Carl Clewing, acted as auctioneer at a recent sale of photographs of military celebrities. General von Hindenburg's signed portrait, called "Forward for Kaiser and Empire," fetched 11,000 marks.

HINDENBURG FINDS CRITICS.

Socialist Proposal to Discuss His Policies Angers Pan-Germans.

LONDON, Wednesday, May 2.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Amsterdam says:

"The Berlin Tageblatt asserts that Dr. Cohn, Socialist member of the Reichstag, proposes the appointment of a Parliamentary committee to consider the German military leadership. The Pan-German papers express profound indignation that a Jewish lawyer like Dr. Cohn should wish to control Field Marshal von Hindenburg, but the Extreme Socialists insist on a discussion of his proposal, since von Hindenburg's powers now far exceed those of s. Chief of Staff."

ASKS COURT-MARTIAL FOR FRENCH OFFICERS

Deputy to Demand That Men Relieved of Their Commands Justify Conduct.

PARIS, May 1.—John Hennessy, member of the Chamber of Deputies, gave notice today of an interpellation he will make demanding that within a month certain officers who have been relieved of their commands appear before a court-martial to justify their conduct.

This interpellation, as well as another bearing on the war operations, probably will be discussed in secret session.

WILL LET AMERICANS STAY

But Those Who Would Quit Austria Must Go Within a Month.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Secretary Lansing announced today that the State Department had received from Berne a telegram saying that press reports from Vienna state that all Americans in Austria can leave within four weeks after the break in relations. Those remaining after this period cannot leave except in special cases on which the authorities will decide.

Americans who remain will be neither interned, confined nor molested so long as their conduct is correct.

VACUUM MEN SAW U-BOAT TOO LATE

Gunner Says It Appeared 200 Feet Away and Fired Almost Immediately.

EXPLOSION RAISED DECKS

Only One of Three Lifeboats Got to Land—Nine of Naval Crew Lost with Officer.

LIVERPOOL, May 1.—The eighteen survivors of the steamer Vacuum who arrived here this afternoon included three American naval gunners: George Wilson, New York; Frank Lasher, Elgin, Ill., and John Nichola, Passaic, N. J. They declared that Captain Harris, commander of the steamer; Lieutenant Thomas, in charge of the gunners; the chief engineer, and several of the gunners perished.

Three lifeboats were launched, but only one reached shore. The one containing the third mate and several gunners was swamped in the rough sea immediately after launching, and all its occupants were drowned. Another, in command of Chief Mate Oscar Gailen, reached land.

George Wilson, one of the American gunners, said with regard to the disaster:

"I was on watch with another gunner, Harry Loree of Philadelphia, at the stern gun. It was 10 o'clock on the morning of Saturday, the 28th, when we suddenly saw the periscope of a submarine within 200 feet of our starboard beam. Almost immediately afterward a torpedo was fired and struck us twenty feet abaft the engine room. There was a terrific explosion, which raised the steel deck and threw Loree and myself off our feet.

U-Boat Fired Deck Guns.

"Before we were able to do anything with our guns the Vacuum began to settle rapidly, stern first, and in a few minutes we were in the water. We could see the ship's bow high in the air. Then the submarine came to the surface, circled the ship several times, and fired four shots from her deck guns.

"The first shot shattered the wireless house and the other three took effect in the Vacuum's bow. The next thing I knew was that I had been picked up while unconscious and taken aboard the No. 3 lifeboat, in which there were seventeen men, besides Oscar Gailem, mate of the Vacuum. We rowed 150 miles before reaching land."

John Nichola, another gunner, said four firemen and two coal passers perished at their posts, being locked in as a result of the explosion. He added that the Vacuum did not have a chance to use her guns at any time.

Other survivors said that the sea was very rough when the Vacuum was torpedoed. The steamer was twenty minutes in sinking. One of those lost in the disaster was William Gardey of Park Avenue, Cincinnati, who was returning to the United States to join the navy.

The Vacuum was returning in ballast.

LONDON, May 1.—The survivors of the American oil tank steamer Vacuum include Robert Williams, Oscar Galles, W. Lundgren, A. Byl, and Raymond Nunez.

The following are other survivors who have been landed: John Simpson, August Lotos, William Orell, G. Witzam, Louis Purdi, J. Maucnel, Marc Singros, Camillo Dio, W. Andrews, Leslie J. Hatton, John Nichola, George Wilson, and F. Lasher.

The details of the sinking of the Vacuum had been received at the American Embassy here but could not be made public, it was expained today. The full particulars are in the hands of Rear Admiral Sims and the American Naval Attaché, who presumably have made reports on them to Washington.

Robert P. Skinner, the American Consul General in London, received only a meagre report from the survivors, who were landed at an obscure point out of touch with the telegraph service. The early report did not indicate how many American gunners were among the survivors. Affidavits will be obtained from the men at Liverpool by the American Consul and then they will be sent back to America.

It is not believed here that the missing gunners were taken prisoner, although it is possible that the naval Lieutenant may have been taken aboard the submarine. The whole crew of the gunners would have been too numerous to be comfortably accommodated on a submarine. The probability is that the missing boatload was lost, as lifeboats of the size carried by the Vacuum, according to naval men, would have been overloaded with more than a dozen men on board.

TEN OF NAVAL CREW LOST.

Washington Gives Names of the Gunners on the Vacuum.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Official dispatches to the State Department from Robert P. Skinner, American Consul General at London, today confirmed press reports that the American tankship Vacuum had been sunk by a German submarine off the Irish coast with probable loss of the lives of most of the members of the naval gun crew on board. The message from Mr. Skinner said that the mate and seventeen of the crew, including three American gunners, were rescued and landed. These were all in one boat. Other boats with the Master, the Naval Lieutenant commanding the gun crew, and the remainder of the Vacuum's crew still were missing.

Secretary Daniels today received a cablegram naming three survivors of the gun crew, who had been landed at an English port, as follows: Frank M. Lasher, seaman, second class, father, Frank M. Lasher, Sr., Elgin, Ill.; John Nichola, gunner's mate, third class, father, John Nichola, 152 Midland Avenue, Garfield, N. J.; George Thomas Wilson, apprentice seaman, father, Frank T. Wilson, Missouri Valley, Iowa.

The Navy Department announced tonight names of ten other navy men on the Vaccum who had not been located. They are as follows:

Lieutenant C. C. Thomas, in charge; Alexander Donald, seaman, second class, brother, Hugh Donald, 106 Buena Vista Street, Corona, L. I.; Charles J. Fischer, coxswain, father, Roman Fischer, 2247 West Somerset Street, Philadelphia; Frank H. Loree, seaman, mother, Mary C. E. Loree, 1018 Cayuga Street, Philadelphia; Charles F. Luckan, seaman, mother, Marie C. Luckan, 124 South Madeira Street, Baltimore, Md.; Oswald H. Lucke, coxswain, father, Ernest William Lucke, 426 Riverside Avenue, Jacksonville, Fla.; Henry J. Mussborn, Jr., seaman, father, Henry J. Mussborn, Sr., Mount Olive, Ill.; George W. Parker, boatswain's mate, mother, Emma D. Parker, 507 Lee Street, Norfolk, Va.; James E. Williams, seaman, enlisted at Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 10, 1913, next of kin, none; John Williams, coxswain, cousin, Mary A. J. Parker, Dolton Station, Cook County, Ill.

Two cable dispatches regarding the sinking of the American steamship Vacuum were received yesterday at the offices of its owner, the Vacuum Oil Company, 61 Broadway. The first one read:

"Harris, Captain, unofficially reported drowned. Further details later."

Late in the afternoon another message was received:

"No confirmation of the loss of the boat containing Captain Harris, Lieutenant Thomas, and others of the crew."

WOUNDED SAVED AT RISK OF LIFE

No Truce with Germans Possible for Picking Up Men Between the Lines.

THEY FIRE ON RED CROSS

Head of British Organization at the Front Tells How Many Missing Soldiers Are Traced.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—It is impossible for the Allies to reach an agreement with the Germans on an armistice to permit both sides to gather up the wounded between the fighting lines because the Germans fire on Red Cross ambulances, Ian Malcolm, who has been at the head of the British Red Cross on the western front, told newspaper men today.

"With that kind of a spirit on the other side," Mr. Malcolm said, "the only way the wounded can be reached is through the efforts of men from the trenches, who crawl out at night time and drag them in."

Mr. Malcolm, who is here with the British mission as the representative of the Red Cross, told of the allied methods for finding and aiding the wounded and of the plan developed for identifying the dead and wounded. The present expenditures of the Red Cross, he said, approximate $200,000 per week, and the ambulances in France alone cost $20,000 a week.

An elaborate system has been worked out for identifying the wounded in the hospitals and procuring information for the relatives of men who are missing or taken prisoners. Although each soldier is furnished with an identification tag, these tags frequently get lost, especially as the men are inclined, or at least were inclined at the beginning of the war, to regard them as somewhat gruesome and frequently gave them away as souvenirs.

Men are employed to go around the hospitals taking evidence from the wounded who are able to talk, learning the fate of other men in the same army units, and thus saving anxious relatives much anguish. The central clearing house of information for the British is in London, and there the people at home go for news of the missing in whom they are interested. Every effort is made to reduce to the lowest possible figure the number of untraceable missing.

The Allies have found war dogs useful in locating wounded on the field. The French have found it possible to train for this work many different breeds, the chief requisite being strength and endurance. The dogs are useful chiefly in wooded territory, where wounded are lost in underbrush, or in rough country where they have fallen in ditches or shell holes.

They are almost uncanny in their ability to nose out the wounded and bring back to their trainer some object belonging to the injured man, such as his cap. They then immediately lead the way to where the man is lying. They never pay attention to a dead man. The Germans are said to have 32,000 war dogs.

One of the functions of the British Red Cross has been to pack parcels of food and comforts for British prisoners in Germany on behalf of their relatives at home. One hundred and fifty thousand of these are sent out every fortnight to Germany through neutral countries. Their weight and size are standardized, and they are packed in rooms which only officials are permitted to enter.

German parcels are also sent to German prisoners, Mr. Malcolm said, but in the last eight months they have been diminishing in size and have appeared with less regularity. The German packages usually contain broken bread, sausages, two or three cigars, and spiced biscuits and cakes.

Mr. Malcolm spoke with much feeling of the way in which the French country people tended these graves, saying that almost invariably a known grave would be marked by a little wreath which the peasants had placed there.

BRITISH TROOP SHIP SUNK BY SUBMARINE

Australians Sing and Play Cards While Boats Are Being Made Ready—All on Board Saved.

LONDON, May 1.—The Peninsular & Oriental Line steamship Ballarat, of 11,120 tons, which was used as a troop ship, was sunk recently by a German submarine. All the troops were saved.

The behavior of the troops on board the Ballarat was splendid, according to the reports made by the commanders on board, and recalls the heroism displayed by the soldiers at the time of the sinking of the British troopship Birkenhead off the African coast in 1852.

The Ballarat, which was carrying troops from Australia to England, was torpedoed on Wednesday, April 25, while the officers of the troops were planning to hold a memorial service in observance of "Anzac Day." Destroyers and trawlers soon appeared on the scene. The sea was moderate. The Ballarat was struck near the propeller and settled down by the stern, but did not sink until four hours later.

Everything was orderly and the men sang and played cards while waiting for the boats to be made ready. No one on the Ballarat was injured, and all the mails and even the soldiers' pets were saved. All the nurses and members of the medical staff remained on board until all the patients had been provided for and had been safely placed in the boats.

The men were landed with promptness and dispatch. Some of them set foot on England for the first time without boots. The commander of the troops, by a curious coincidence, was wearing a tunic which belonged to Colonel Linton, who was commanding officer of the British steamer Southland when she was torpedoed in the Fall of 1915.

AMERICAN SCHOONER SUNK.

All of the Crew of the Woodward Abrahams Are Reported Saved.

The American schooner Woodward Abrahams, a vessel of 744 tons register, has been sunk by a German submarine, according to a cable message received here yesterday by Pendleton Brothers, former owners of the ship. The crew of nine men were saved, the cable added.

The Woodward Abrahams was last reported leaving Jacksonville, Fla., on Feb. 28, at which port she had called for supplies after loading at Pensacola. She was built in 1881 at Waldoboro, Me., and had been sold to another American firm, her former owners said.

URUGUAYAN STEAMER SUNK.

The Gorizia Was Commanded by an American Captain.

LONDON, May 1.—The Uruguayan steamship Gorizia has been sunk without warning by a German submarine. The crew was saved.

The submarine approached the steamer and, after manoeuvring into position, shelled it until it sank. The crew took to the boats.

[FIRE]

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FOR AFTER-WAR BLOCKADE.

Paris Matin Says German Militarism Directs Her Commerce.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, May 1.—Germany's formidable commercial menace, even if definitely defeated on the battlefield, was pointed out in the Matin by a leading financier. The writer emphasizes the fact that the mistrust and suspicion which surrounded the swift German financial and commercial expansion after the Franco-Prussian war was not merely due to jealousy. Other nationals have developed with similar rapidity, the most striking example being the United States, without arousing the suspicion of the world at large, which in the case of Germany was due to the fact that the whole commedcial and industrial organization was part and parcel of the military scheme of expansion.

If by chance the Allies shall not be able to gain such a complete victory as to be able to dictate terms to Germany, the writer declares, there is only one other effective means to curb the German commercial offensive which is already preparing. This drastic measure would be an agreement among the powers fighting for liberty to exercise an economic blockade on the Central Powers by stopping at the frontiers all Austro-German products, including those disguised as neutral products. This blockade, he says, should be continued until Germany, which fears this menace more than any other, is brought to her senses and forced to abandon her aggressive military system for all time.

FRENCH SMOTHER CHAMPAGNE ATTACKS

Continued from Page 1.

Three of our single-seated battleplanes attacked a group of five French captive balloons northwest of Rheims and brought them all down in flames.

The communication issued this evening says:

Near Arras, on the Aisne and in the Champagne, the artillery duels were favorable to us. Near Lens, Monchy-le-Preux, and Fontaine, (Artois,) as well as near Cerny, (Aisne,) English and French local attacks failed.

FRENCH WON VICTORY AFTER HARD BATTLE

Germans in Champagne, Holding First Line in Force, Contest Advance.

By G. H. PERRIS.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

THE FRENCH FRONT IN WESTERN CHAMPAGNE, Monday, April 30.—There commenced this afternoon another offensive operation on the left of its last brilliant advance in this region. That advance, which gave the French the chief heights of Moronvilliers, a block of hills, left a depression in the French lines running for about seven miles just north of the old Roman road. The westend of this depression is left doubtful; the rest of it has been driven in to an extent varying from a third to two-thirds of a mile in depth, while on the north the slopes have been captured on a like depth. On the north slopes of Mont Haut the fighting at some points was extremely severe, and it is still proceeding. The artillery and their observers have been at work for several days upon the systematic smashing of the enemy fieldworks, without which no infantry movement can now be attempted.

The sector is a peculiar one. Both sides hold commanding positions, the Germans on Nogent, Berru, the hills about Beine, and the village of Nauroy; the French along a crescent of heights on the west, south, and east. Some of the points rise as much as 500 feet above the plain between, so that from a military point of view it is essentially a country of observatories, this characteristic being qualified by the fact that the plain is patched over with thick woods, mostly plantations of stunted firs familiar all over Champagne. But for this, I suppose, the bringing up of reliefs and supplies would hardly be possible in the fine weather, and we are having one of those sudden spells of hot sunshine that are usual in France at the end of April.

"In ten minutes they go," General X said to me at 12:30 this afternoon, and, cool hand as he is, I thought there was a tremor in his voice. This was not a great battle, but no commander can be indifferent in a moment when his men are going out to meet their fate. The chief line of attack was from the French front less than a half mile north of the old Roman road in the direction of Nauroy village. This was supported by lesser attacks on the right and left. But for the thick woods, in and behind which the Germans were intrenched, I imagine it would have been a relatively easy task. What with enemy barrage and the French advancing curtain of fire, these woods soon recalled the spectacle of an American forest conflagration. Banks of light smoke rolled over them, broken here and there by the black eruption of "coal boxes" and mines heaved over from the trench mortars.

By 1 P. M. the advance got beyond the first line of woods and the reaction did not seem to be very serious, possibly because German gunners were still afraid of firing on some of their own men. After that time they put over an increasing barrage with successive clouds of gas, and later in the afternoon determined counterattacks were made on the French left. It was here, particularly around a field work called the Redoubt, north of the Grille wood, that the hardest fighting took place. The tactics of holding the front lines lightly, which the German command certainly favored for a time, has apparently been abandoned. Perhaps it favored escape by surrender. I have before me a letter addressed by General Von Schussler, commanding a division on the Aisne last month, to the officers of one of his brigades. He says he cannot understand how officers have got the impression that there is no absolute necessity to hold the first position.

"All orders," he adds, "prescribe that the first line must be defended at all costs, and that if it be lost the struggle must be continued until it is recovered. Our principle line of combat is the first line."

Such is the present work of command and for the moment it is being literally obeyed. While that continues, sweeping advances such as have sometimes been obtained in the past, are not to be expected. Enough that the balance of success swings steadily if slowly to the French side.

SCOTS AT GUEMAPPE WON HIGH HONORS

Taking and Holding of Village Cost Them Dear—Battle Lasted Nearly a Week.

By PHILIP GIBBS.

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Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

WAR CORRESPONDENTS' HEADQUARTERS, May 1.—May Day has been quiet along the British front so far as infantry activity was concerned, although noisy enough with gunfire. It was a day of perfect weather, rich in sunshine under a cloudless sky, through which the British air squadrons went away this morning flying low, so that theey were fine to see, with glistening wings and wires.

Today as well as yesterday the enemy's chief targets were Arleux, captured by the Canadians, and Guémappe, which fell to the Scottish troops, both of which places he tried to take back by repeated and violent counterattacks. He is still in a trench on the east side of Guémappe running down to a bit of ruin called Calvary Farm, where there has been close fighting for several days since the great battle of April 23, when Guémappe was taken by the Scots. I have already given a brief narrative of this struggle, but more details about it are worth telling because it is a great episode in the history of the Scottish troops in France. It was fighting which lasted for nearly a week after the hour of attack in the first daylight of April 23. At that hour long waves of Highland regiments left the trenches they had dug under shellfire and went forward to Guémappe. They were faced at once by blasts of machine-gun fire, and, although the British artillery barrage crashed across the field, some of the German strong points were still held in force. One Sergeant fought his way down a bit of trench alone and knocked out the gun crew, so that the line could advance.

Two hundred prisoners were taken in that first forward sweep, when the kilted men advanced in long lines and went through and beyond the village of Guémappe with loud shouts and cheers. For nearly three hours the Scots were held up by the fire of German machine guns and artillery, and suffered many casualties, but they fought on, each little group of men acting with separate initiative, and it is to their great honor as soldiers that they destroyed every machine gun post in front of them. They were checked again by machine gun fire from many different directions and from the ruin called Cavalry Farm, immediately ahead of them. This was afterward cleared and many Germans lie dead there.

Then between 11 and 12 in the morning the enemy developed his first counterattack. He massed great masses of men in the valley below Guémappe, and flung a great storm of shells onto the village, and then sent forward his troops to work around it. It was then that these Scottish troops showed their fierce and stubborn fighting spirit. They tore rents in the lines of advancing Bavarians with Lewis guns and rifle and grenade fire, and the enemy's losses were so great that the supporting troops passed over lines of dead comrades.

The attack was pressed by a great mass of men, and the thin lines of Scotts, exhausted by long hours of fighting, were forced to swing back. We now know that the first reports were wrong when it was said the enemy retook Guémappe for a time. He never set foot in it again, although the Scottish line fell back a little. Groups of Highland officers and men refused to retreat. Some of them held the cemetery and defended it against all attacks. An officer with seventy men remained in the north of the village for four hours, although they had no protection on either flank. One officer and twelve men at another spot refused to leave during the retirement, and they were found still holding out when their comrades renewed the attack and regained the ground later. The village of Guémappe was isolated for the great artillery bombardment prevented all approach by the enemy. Then fresh Highlanders streamed around by the north of the village, and the whole line of Highland troops swept back the enemy. By that time the Bavarian troops had no more fight in them and knew they were beaten. They retired in great disorder, leaving great numbers of dead and wounded.

For a day and a half the Scots were able to rest a little, although always under shell fire. But afterwards there was fierce patrol fighting round Cavalry farm and the outposts nearby. The enemy's fire was intense, and he commanded this position from the high ground to the north, but little parties of Scots held on doggedly outside the ruins of the farm until after five days they were withdrawn.

FOUR AMERICANS KILLED.

Philadelphia Man's Name Appears on Canadian Casualty List.

OTTAWA, May 1.—In today's Canadian casualty list of 72 names are the following American names:

Killed in action: E. W. Cameron, Lackawanna, Mich., infantry; Lieutenant E. A. Abbey, 523 Chastnut Street, Philadelphia, mounted rifles; C. A. Swan, Bedham, Mass.; M. S. Duncan, Boston.

BRITISH IN APRIL TOOK 19,343 GERMANS

257 Guns, 227 Trench Mortars, and 470 Machine Guns Captured During the Month.

LONDON, May 1.—Nearly twenty thousand prisoners were captured by the British during the month of April, according to the report of the War Office this morning. In this same period 257 guns and howitzers, 227 trench mortars, and 470 machine guns were captured.

There has been very little fighting on the ground today, but yesterday and last night were marked by much activity in the air. Nine German airplanes were brought down, while nine others were driven down out of control. The British lost nine machines.

Tonight's official statement follows:

During the month of April we have taken in the course of our offensive operations 19,343 German prisoners, including 393 officers. In the same period we also captured 257 guns and howitzers, (including 98 heavy guns and howitzers,) 227 trench mortars, and 470 machine guns.

In addition to those we captured, many of the enemy's guns, howitzers, trench mortars, and machine guns have been destroyed by our artillery fire.

Marked activity in the air continued yesterday and during the night. In the air fighting eight German machines were brought down by our airplanes, two of which fell in our lines; nine others were driven down out of controls. Another hostile machine was shot down. Nine of our airplanes are missing.

The early statement said:

We made a successful raid last night north of Ypres and captured a few prisoners. Elsewhere there was nothing of special importance.

1,430,000 GERMANS IN WEST.

Only 990,000 Holding Line, Says Correspondent at Front.

PARIS, May 1.—A dispatch from French Headquarters says:

"Indications show that the strength of the German forces totaled on the 1st of April 219 divisions, each comprising a maximum of from 10,000 to 12,000 combatants. Of these divisions 143 faced the French and British, but only 99 were in the actual line, the others being held in strategic reserve.

"The remaining 76 divisions were then on the Russian, Rumanian, and Macedonian fronts. Many of the strategic reserve divisions have since been thrown into line, and, owing to losses, were later sent to the rear for reconstitution."

RUSSIA'S WAR DEBT NEAR $20,000,000,000

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the statement of the American-Russian Chamber of Commerce in an exhaustive report on the Russian financial situation.

The Russian national debt, according to this report, on Jan. 1, 1914, was $3,406,000,000; during the first two years of the war, additional loans, covering war expenses, were incurred to the extent of $8,611,920,000, and additional loans for $8,300,100,000 will be required if the war closes at the end of the year 1917. Assuming that the war will end in the Fall of this year, the total outstanding Russian indebtedness will amount to $20,908,000,000, which on a 5½ per cent. basis will require yearly interest payments of $1,968,200,000.

The total foreign indebtedness of Russia, prior to the war, was $2,230,000,000. During the first two years additional loans were incurred amounting to $2,430,000,000, and the estimated additional obligations which will be incurred, if the war closes in the Fall of 1917, will be $1,344,000,000. The total interest charges on foreign loans and also in connection with municipal, private issues, and other private indebtedness, sea freight, &c., due annually on foreign obligations after the war, will be $461,000,000. To offset these payments Russia has had for a number of years a favorable balance of trade. The average yearly value of the excess of exports over imports amounted to $169,000,000, leaving net obligations payable yearly on foreign loans after the war of $292,200,000.

It is evident that, says the chamber, since Russia will not be able to meet her foreign interest charges in payments of gold when the war is over, it will be unwise to adopt a policy of incurring additional interest payments, and the only solution of Russia's financial problems lies in—first, greatly increasing her export of raw materials, particularly that of agricultural products, and through the organization of her timber industry; second, the elimination of all unnecessary exportations, and third, the immediate organization and stimulation of home manufacturing production.

Russia is in a position to supply the world with the bulk of food products by intensifying her agricultural production. She is greatly increasing the quantity and quality of her food production, as well as her supply of meat and dairy products. In view of the general shortage of food products such an increase, it is argued, will largely solve the question of the proper balance of trade after the war.

In addition Russia has 50 per cent. of the world's undeveloped timber area, and is in a position, on account of her natural position and through the organization of her timber industry, to supply the increasing demand of Europe after the termination of the war.

PETROGRAD REJECTS LENINE'S PEACE PLEAS

Thousands of Wounded Soldiers Demand War Until Germany Is Defeated.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PETROGRAD, Monday, April 30, (Dispatch to The London Daily Chronicle.)—An enormous number of proclamations have been thrown down lately by the Germans on the Russian front. Sometimes they are found near the wire entanglements, sometimes dropped by airplane, but they all harp on the same note and show how little the Germans understand the Russian revolution.

"England is the great enemy," "England made the revolution." "England deprived the Russian soldier of his God-given Little Father, the Czar," &c., are some of the expressions used.

Germany's overtures for a separate peace are backed up in Russia by wild tirades of extremists against the Provisional Government. The importance of these attacks must not be exaggerated. The extremists are losing ground, but still they present a danger because they are able to excite the ignorant masses.

At the present time one name is on everybody's lips—Lenine. Lenine knows no moderation in his abuse of the Provisional Government, and in his paper, the Pravda, does not spare England and France, either. The balcony of the palace of Khesinsky, the famous ballerina, which has been appropriated by Lenine for his own use, has become the centre of wild pacifist agitation. From there the Leninite orators preach brotherhood with Germany and war on the Provisional Government and the bourgeoisie.

But Lenine entirely ruined his own plans by returning to Russia through Germany. The great majority of the army and the public are against him, and his party forms a small and diminishing minority in the Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates.

Yesterday an interesting demonstration took place. Several thousand invalided soldiers went to the Duma to demand the prosecution of the war till victory and to demand the overthrow of Lenine. "Send Lenine back to Germany," said one banner. At the Duma their spokesman made a speech, saying: "We fought in defense of those who now cry 'Down with war!' Let us cripples first be killed, and they can make an alliance with Germany over our corpses. For freedom we are ready to give all that remains of our strength, for we are convinced that only the defeat of Germany can secure liberty for Russia."

In reply M. Skobeleff, Vice President of the Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates, announced himself in favor of the total defeat of Germany, and said that the war would not end till victory had been achieved.

Yesterday many meetings were held in various parts of the town, and the Nevsky Prospect was dotted all day with little groups discussing pacifist propaganda. Very few supporters of Lenine were found among them. The general opinion was that he should be arrested and imprisoned. It went hard with some of those who dared to raise their voices in his favor.

I saw one youth about 15 years of age make a speech which ended with "Long live Germany!" The crowd rushed at him and he would have been beaten had not an officer interfered and carried him off to the militia station.

Another sign of the failure of pacifist agitation in Russia is the passing of a resolution by the Executive Committee of the Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' Delegates condemning Lenine's agitation and urging that immediate measures be taken to counteract its harmful effects.

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RESENTS OUR ADVICE ON IRISH AFFAIRS

Harrison Says American Statesmen Echo 'Stale Sophisms' of Britain's Foes.

CALLS HOME RULE ACT VAIN

Historian Predicts Chaos if It Is Applied—Lloyd George's Statement of Solution Deferred.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, May 1.—Frederic Harrison, the famous historian and publicist, in the course of a long letter to The Morning Post on "the Irish dilemma," says:

"Englishmen welcome with enthusiasm the entrance of the great republic into this tremendous war, not merely because we are now fighting side by side, but rather because it manifests that the common cause is that of civilisation, humanity, and peace.

"But does this glorious comradeship in arms quite justify American politicians, however eminent and friendly, thrusting themselves into our municipal politics at a moment of intense crisis? As an Englishman, I wonder to see my stalwart friend Roosevelt and so many leaders of American intellect and statesmanship echoing the stale sophisms of our enemies during one of the most inveterate trials to which Britain has ever been exposed. What would Americans do if we intervened in one of their dilemmas—say, if our ex-Ministers, doctors, and preachers were to summon them with a passionate appeal to raise up their 12,000,000 of colored citizens to equal human dignity, to wipe out the national stigma of the commonwealth that every man or woman born with a dark skin is born into the shame of exclusion and the life of a pariah race?

"Where Is the Irish Nation?"

"Our American friends, in our almost desperate crisis at home, repeat the unreal, untrue, and malicious taunts of our enemies within and without the United Kingdom when they tell us to give the Irish 'nation' autonomy. Where is the Irish nation? Our very dilemma is that there are three sections of Irishmen, each repudiating, contradicting, and, if we let them, eager to fight each other.

"The 'Home Rule act' cry one group, though they and all men of sense know that the act of 1914 is impracticable as it stands, and must in any case be revised under the urgent stress of war.

"'No Dublin Parliament for us!' cries Ulster—Ulster, far the richest, most civilized, most vigorous element in Ireland, the only element that joins us in the war and is not openly malevolent.

"And now a third factor breaks in with the cry: 'Away with Redmond and his lot, traitors all! The Independent republic! Down with British uniforms, officials, and laws!'

"Our difficulty is, and has been for generations, to know which of these three groups we ought to regard as the strongest and most permanent. Which of them is the Irish nation? All three furiously claim to be the real Irish nation. * * *

"Ireland has already 103 representatives in the House of Commons—vastly in excess of its due proportion. At Westminster the Nationalist members occupy as much time as all the rest. They complain of, obstruct, and vilify our Government in our sore need. Yet they still cry out for more parliamentary representation, and they use the excessive representation they have got in such treasonable ways as in any other country but ours would have sent them outside or to jail. These are the men whom our American mentors tell us we must 'placate.' They seem to think that if we only started the set of 1914 all would be smooth in Ireland; that 250,000 Irishmen would enlist the next day. It is far more likely that if we started the act and withdrew the strong hand, Ireland in three months would be in a state of chaos, the three groups at open war. And as soon as the Sinn Fein recruits got arms in their hands they would turn them against us and proclaim the republic, as they did a year ago.

"How can responsible statesmen abroad repeat that most false of all the Potsdam lies—that Ireland has been treated as Poland was by Russia or as the Czechs are by Austria—Austria, that will not open its Parliament at all, which has hanged 2,000 Bohemian patriots, to say nothing of the hecatombs of Serbians, Bosnians, and Rumanians?

Ireland Treated As a "Spoilt Son."

"Why, for two generations Britain has sacrificed her men and her own interests to do justice to Irish demands. Her purse, her policy, her Parliament, her Government have all been strained to meet Irish claims, to restore Irish welfare. Ireland has never been so wealthy, so prosperous, so hopeful as she is today.

"When the war came Ireland was treated as being outside of it, as if it were a spoilt and unmanageable son who must not be crossed. It was allowed to rest and grow rich in sullen scorn of all that Britons and true Irishmen were bearing in the war—this to the eternal shame of the Irish name, which Britons and which history will never forget or excuse; to the eternal shame also of those besotted politicians who treated Ireland as a timid fool might treat a dangerous lunatic whom he was afraid to touch and hoped to coax."

DEFERS HOME RULE TALK.

"Unforeseen Circumstances" Force Postponement by Lloyd George.

LONDON, May 1.—Premier Lloyd George's statement as to the Government's proposed solution of the Irish problem has been postponed until next week because of unforeseen circumstances. This announcement was made in the House of Commons today by Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer.

Replying to a question by Sir James Dalziel, Liberal member for Kirkcaldy Burghs, as to when the Premier proposed to make a statement on the Government's efforts to effect an Irish settlement, Mr. Bonar Law said:

"I am sorry to again make a claim on the indulgence of the House in this matter. Owing to circumstances which could not be foreseen it is impossible for him to make a statement, but before the end of the week I will name a date next week on which the statement will be made."

FRANCE AND ITALY GET LOANS NEXT

United States Will Advance to Each Power $100,000,000 at Once to Pay War Bills.

NEW TREASURY OFFERING

Sixty-Day Certificates Issued, Pending War Bonds—Early Loan to Russia Probable.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—President Wilson has approved a temporary war loan to Italy and France of $100,000,000 each. To obtain the funds for this purpose a third issue of Treasury certificates to the amount of $200,000,000, announced tonight by Secretary McAdoo, will be necessary. Like previous issues, they will bear 3 per cent. interest, but their term is to be sixty instead of ninety days.

The Federal Reserve Banks were today notified of the decision to issue the certificates and were directed to advise member banks of the opportunity to tender subscriptions. The certificates carry the privilege of conversion into the war bonds of the Liberty Loan of 1917. It is expected that the issue will be all taken up by noon tomorrow.

The loans to France and Italy may not be made in a lump sum, but in installments during May to meet current obligations in this country. The loans were authorized after a careful examination of the war needs of the two countries and a knowledge of their liabilities on war contracts in this country. They will be made in the same manner as that to England, and the notes of the French and Italian Governments will be taken for sixty days, or less if the loan is made in installments. When the proceeds of the Liberty Loan are available for the purchase of the war bonds of the two countries, French and Italian notes will be used for the purchase of their bonds.

Certificates Mature July 17.

Secretary McAdoo said that the issue of certificates authorized today would be arranged to mature by July 17, although they are called sixty-day certificates. During May and June there will be successive issues of Treasury certificates at intervals of not less than two weeks, all of which are to be convertible into war bonds when the loan is finally on the market. Notice of the various issues of notes will be made so that the money market may be disturbed as little as possible.

By the issue of these certificates, it is believed, the process of placing the war bonds on the market will be very materially expedited. The final decision as to the volume of the first issue of the war loan bonds has not yet been made, but announcement of the details of the loan is expected within a few days. Efforts are being made to arrange in advance assurances of placing parts of the loan, en bloc, which may have the effect of making the total to be offered in the first issue larger than has heretofore been estimated.

The latest of the Entente nations to apply for assistance is Serbia. A loan will be made to her, as it will be to any Government ranged effectively as a belligerent against the Central Powers. Of the loan to Belgium, no more has been decided than that there will be such a loan. A high authority in the Administration said today that it was desirable to have it known that the war loans were made on the broad principle that they were to be invested offensively at the victorious of the Central Powers and that any power that would employ the proceeds of the loan in fighting the common enemy could participate in the advances to be made by this Government.

Ability to Repay Not a Factor.

The fact that the first loan was made to England and the next to France and Italy, leaving Russia and Belgium to be provided for later, was not to be taken to mean, said this authority, that the United States was measuring the ability of any Government to pay back what it borrowed. The act authorizing the loan was quoted to explain that the loans might be made even if they should never be paid back.

By the terms of the Bond act the Secretary of the Treasury is empowered, with the approval of the President, "to enter into such arrangements as may be necessary or desirable for establishing such credits and for purchasing such obligations of foreign Governments." This authorization is taken to mean that the first intention of Congress is that the loan shall be employed as effectively as possible for an offensive against Germany and her allies, no matter what the consequences may be in the future as to the repayment of war loans.

"In short," said the Administration authority, "we are fighting a war against a common enemy. We use money, whereas our allies use men and munitions. We shall take the chances in fighting our part of the war with money, just as we should take our chances if we sent an army or our navy over there, whether or not they might be victorious. If we lose, we lose whether it be men or money. We shall not 'see, however.'

Confidence in Russia.

In this connection it was stated today in Administration circles that loans would be made to Belgium and Russia. In the latter case the loan will be made before the Root Commission is sent to that country. The Russian Government, it was said, is now responding to overtures from this Government in regard to its policies and its ability to maintain its attitude in alliance with the Entente Powers. Most positive assurances, it was stated, had been received that Russia would make no separate peace and would willingly pledge her faith and honor in the common cause of belligerency against Germany and her allies.

As a part of the negotiations connected with the loan to Russia, Mr. Onou, the Russian Charge d'Affaires ad interim, had a long conference today with Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Crosby for the purpose of advising this Government of the status of the Russian campaign at this time and the progress made by the new Government in the direction of stability of control and power in administration, especially with reference to commanding acceptance by all elements of the Russian people and the army. The strongest confidence has been produced here in the futility of all attempts to bring about a separate peace between Russia and Germany.

It was stated today, because of reports to the contrary, that neither Cuba nor any of the other Latin-American countries that had broken off relations with Germany had applied for any part of the war loan. The attitude of this Government as to such possible loans is simply that it is ready to assist any and all of its allies in the common struggle against Germany, and if any of the Latin-American countries can contribute to the success of the cause, participation in the loan may be regarded as a foregone conclusion.

The first installment, about $25,000,000, of the Italian loan probably will be made tomorrow.

With loans to France and Italy consummated, the Government will have advanced $400,000,000 to the Allies. This is only the beginning of what will have to be advanced to meet allied needs before the end of the fiscal year, June 30, when the proceeds of the first offering of bonds probably will be available. There remain the contemplated loans to Belgium, Russia, and other allies, other loans to Great Britain to meet British requirements in May and June, estimated at from $300,000,000 to $400,000,000, and loans to meet the needs of France and Italy for June, unofficially placed at $200,000,000 more.

Indications pointed to the conclusion that the United States will have advanced the Allies approximately $1,250,000,000 before the proceeds of the first offering of bonds are available.

Departments of the Government other than the Treasury will be called into service to aid the Allies in spending their loans wisely here. It was intimated tonight that inasmuch as the Administration wanted to see the Allies get the worth of every dollar advanced to them every Governmental agency that might be required to help attain this end would be placed, in effect, at their disposal.

In the past representatives of the Allies, sitting in council at London, have adopted a policy of pooling their requirements and buying, one at a time, in the United States. In this manner they have avoided going into the open market here to bid against one another. Whether that policy will be continued with the approval and aid of the American Government was not indicated, but it is likely that the Administration will take steps to see that purchases made by the Allies with American loans do not interfere with the wants of this Government for its military and naval establishments, and that American producers and sellers not only use their utmost endeavor to meet allied requirements, but limit their profits to fair and reasonable percentages.

RECRUITING COMMITTEE QUESTIONS MR. VILLARD

Asks If He Really Said That He Would Not Forcibly Resist Invasion.

The Midday Recruiting Committee, which is helping to raise men for the army, navy, and Marine Corps, sent an open letter yesterday to Oswald Garrison Villard, President of The Evening Post Company, challenging him to declare whether he still held to his pacifist views now that the United States was at war with Germany. The letter read:

May 1, 1917.

Oswald Garrison Villard, Esq., Publisher The Evening Post, New York City.

Sir: Your attention is directed to the following conversation, stated to have occurred between yourself and Mr. Henry A. Wise Wood, at a meeting held on the night of Feb. 15, 1917, at the Rand School of Social Service, 102 West Thirty-eighth Street, this city:

Mr. Wood: "Mr. Chairman, when a man undertakes to teach the public it is out right to inquire whether his teachings lead and for what he stands. I should like to ask Mr. Villard two questions."

Mr. Villard: "I will answer them."

Mr. Wood: "Mr. Villard, would you forcibly resist an invasion of this country?"

Mr. Villard: "I would not."

Mr. Wood: "Would you forcibly resist the violation of American women in the event of invasion if you were present?"

Mr. Villard: "I refuse to answer a hypothetical question."

Will you, before the end of the present week, write to the Mid-Day Recruiting Committee stating whether the passages above quoted embody your present views?

We call your attention to the fact that this letter is addressed to you in your capacity as publisher of The Evening Post, and is an open letter.

Very truly yours,
WALT KUHN,
Secretary.

Mr. Villard said last night that the letter had not reached him.

"I know what two questions they want me to answer," he said. "I will make no statement until I first know who make up the committee and what the purpose is in writing to me."

At yesterday's meeting of the committee at 57 Chambers Street it was declared to be an urgent need to raise 500,000 volunteers in addition to the 500,000 men whom the Government intends to procure by draft. Job E. Hedges appealed for recruits and urged every man in the audience to get down on his knees and ask himself the question: "Is this country mine and am I willing to pay the price?"

"If you do this," Mr. Hedges said, "by tomorrow we will not be able to count the recruits enlisted."

STATE HAS 80 QUESTIONS.

Coming Military Census Will Cover a Wide Range.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, May 1.—The State Resource Mobilization Bureau today made public the questions which every man in the State will be required to answer when he is enrolled in the State military census. There are eighty questions in the list. The women of the State will be obliged to answer similar inquiries, the text of which will be made public later. Some of the questions to be put to the men are:

How many persons, including only mother, father, wife, or child, sister or brother under 12 years of age, are dependent upon you for their entire support?

In what industry or business are you engaged? In what capacity or position? Exactly what work do you do?

Are you temporarily unfit for any line of mechanical work? If so, what line?

Are you in business for yourself? If not, what is the name of your present employer? What is your employer's business? What is your employer's business address?

Have you ever acted as agent or otherwise for any foreign country, manufacturer, dealer, or merchant?

Have you ever had the military or naval service or had military or naval training at school, college, camp, or cruise?

Do you claim exemption from military service? If so, upon what ground?

Can you operate an automobile? A motor cycle? A power boat? An airplane? A telegraph instrument? A wireless outfit? A stationary steam engine? A steam locomotive?

Do you own any of the following: If so, how many of each? Automobiles, auto trucks, motor launches, power boats, airplanes, heavy weapons, wireless outfits, draft horses, saddle horses, mules?

The census will be taken as soon as the Federal Government has finished the registration of men eligible for conscription. It will be conducted by the various County Home Defense Committees and the results filed at the Adjutant General's office.

A military measure passed by the Legislature today enables pupils in the public schools to be relieved from attendance without loss of credit in connection with their studies, when they engage in military service, or in agricultural or industrial work related to the war.

The Senate advanced to the order of final passage the Sage bill, which would expedite the negotiations now being carried on by the Federal Government with private land owners for a thousand-acre tract near Albany as a site for a military encampment to accommodate 200,000 men.

THIS STATE'S QUOTA 50,450.

New York to Supply 10.09 Per Cent. of First 500,000.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—New York State's quota of the first force of 500,000 men to be raised by the selective draft system under the legislation now being enacted by Congress will be 50,450 men. In addition the State of New York is being called upon to raise 18,220 men as its quota of the force of 185,888 needed on April 1 to raise the regular army to full war strength. New York will also provide approximately 32,000 men to bring its National Guard organizations to the full war strength contemplated by the Government, and is expected to raise 10 per cent. of the marine corps and 10 per cent. of the navy.

The plans of the War Department contemplate the raising of about 1,000,000 men in addition to those already in the regular army and the National Guard. On the basis of its population, as compared with the total population of the continental United States in 1910, when the latest Federal census was taken, the State of New York would raise 10.09 per cent. of each armed force raised by the Federal Government. This is the relation that the population of New York, which was 9,113,614 in 1910, bore to the population of the entire country, which was 91,072,266. On this basis of arriving at the State's quota New York State would furnish approximately 100,900 of the force of 1,000,000 men to be raised during the first year for the army.

THE GRANTS READY FOR WAR

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Ulysses S. Grant, 3d, and Ulysses S. Grant, 4th, both may go to France with an American expeditionary force. Both are grandsons of the famous civil war General and later President Ulysses S. Grant. Ulysses, 3d, the son of Major Gen. F. D. Grant, is now a Major in the Engineering Corps of the regular army and at present assigned to duty in Washington. Ulysses, 4th, the son of Ulysses S. Grant, Jr., has just enlisted in the Seventh New York Infantry as a private in Company H. He is 23 years old and was graduated from Harvard in 1915. Since graduation he has been employed in the office of J. P. Morgan & Co. in this city.

CONSCRIPTION BILL SENT TO CONFERENCE

Passed by Senate a Second Time to Straighten Out Parliamentary Tangle.

ALL AMENDMENTS REJECTED

No Attempt Made to Obstruct the Measure—Expected to Become a Law Some Time This Week.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Without a roll call, the War Army bill was passed for a second time by the Senate today, but conferences probably will not begin for several days. Conferees of the Senate and House will meet tomorrow, but they also have the task of smoothing away differences over the annual Army Appropriation bill, and they will take up that task first. There are not many points of disagreement in the Appropriation bill, and leaders hope to see both measures completed in time to have President Wilson attach his signature in the present week.

The Senate passed the War Army bill a second time in order to clear up parliamentary tangles. It was done without any prolonged discussion and without any serious effort to revive the struggle over the volunteer system as opposed to the selective draft feature, which consumed most of the time in last week's debate. Senator La Follette spoke in support of a substitute with a referendum on raising an army by draft to send to Europe, but it was defeated, 65 to 4.

An amendment by Senator Weeks to authorize the President to accept for foreign service a company of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery of Boston, was rejected by a viva voce vote.

Senator McCumber's amendment to strike out the provision exempting from conscription those whose religious belief conflicts with military service was rejected, 54 to 17.

An amendment by Senator Gronna to prohibit manufacture during the war of agricultural products into liquor for beverage purposes was rejected without a record vote.

Principal points of difference between the houses include the so-called Roosevelt volunteer amendment in the Senate bill; the difference in the ages subject to selective draft, the Senate bill specifying those between 21 and 27 and the House 21 and 40, and the Senate bill's army prohibition section. A compromise is expected on the age limits, possibly fixing the minimum at 21 and the maximum at 35. The House representatives probably never will accept the Roosevelt amendment, which would permit the ex-President to raise four infantry divisions for duty on foreign soil.

HOUSE RUSHES WORK ON BIG WAR BUDGET

Debate Ends on Bill Carrying Appropriations of $2,827,653,000 —Measure to Pass Today.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—The House set a record today for quick action on major appropriations, completing debate at a single brief session on an omnibus emergency war bill carrying nearly three billion dollars. It will be passed tomorrow, probably with only a few votes against it. No opposition was expressed during the discussion today, and the only important change made was in the adoption of an amendment doubling the pay of enlisted men in the army.

Out of a total of $2,827,653,658 carried by the bill, $2,520,501,007 is for the military establishment. For the navy $500,000,672 is provided, and the remainder goes to other departments for miscellaneous purposes, including extraordinary expenses due to the war.

The military appropriation, which is in addition to the regular annual army and fortification bills and the $1,000,000,000 proposed as an additional appropriation for the new war army, includes $1,000,000 $231,000,000 for clothing and camp and garrison equipage, $130,000,000 for ordnance stores, $30,000,000 for automatic machine guns, $6,850,000 for civilian training camps, $60,000,000 for coast and insular fortifications, and $4,320,000 for fortifying the Panama Canal.

More than $125,000,000 was added by the amendment increasing the pay of enlisted men from $15 to $30 a month, a proposal already accepted by both Senate and House as part of the Army Draft bill, but transferred to the appropriation measure today to facilitate final enactment. It brings up to more than $525,000,000 the total appropriation in the bill for army pay.

In the aggregate of more than a half billion dollars carried for the navy are included items of $11,000,000 for aviation, $7,778,000 for outfits for newly enlisted men, $200,000,000 for the Ordnance Bureau, including $60,000,000 for ship armor, $5,000,000 for chemical stores and supplies and more than $25,000,000 for the Marine Corps, including $7,343,000 for the military stores of that branch of the service.

STATES CONFER TODAY TO UNIFY DEFENSE

Stotesbury to Represent New York at Washington Meeting—Wilson Will Receive Delegates.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—The Council of National Defense received a telegram today from Governor Charles S. Whitman of New York saying that Adj. Gen. Stotesbury of that State would represent Governor Whitman at the conference of the States called by the Council of National Defense, which is to be held here tomorrow.

All of the States will be represented at the conference, the purpose of which is to unify defense efforts throughout the nation.

The State representatives, who will include ten Governors, will convene at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning for registration. The first session will be held at the War Department at 10 o'clock, where the conferees will be addressed by the Secretary of War. At 1:30 P. M., the conferees will be received by President Wilson at the White House. They will then go into session at the Munsey Building, where they will be addressed on labor and food problems by the Secretary of Labor and President Pierson of the Iowa State Agricultural College, who is now acting as assistant to the Secretary of Agriculture.

On Thursday, in addition to discussions among the representatives themselves, addresses will be made by W. S. Gifford, Director of the Council, and member of the Advisory Commission; Dr. George E. Hale, Chairman of the National Research Council; George Creel, Chairman of the Committee on Public Information; Secretary of Commerce Redfield, and Eliot Wadsworth, Vice Chairman of the American Red Cross. A full list of the State representatives is as follows:

Alabama, Richard M. Hobbie; Arizona, Dwight B. Heard; Arkansas, General Lloyd England; California, Dr. Benjamin Ide Wheeler; Colorado, Gerald Hughes; Connecticut, Lucien F. Burpee; Delaware, L. Scott Townsend; District of Columbia, William H. Baldwin; Florida, J. S. Maxwell; Georgia, Governor M. E. Harris; Idaho, Governor Moses Alexander or James H. Hawley; Illinois, Samuel Insull; Indiana, A. E. Reynolds; Iowa, Governor W. L. Harding; Kansas, H. J. Waters; Kentucky, Embrey L. Swearingen; Louisiana, Governor R. G. Pleasant; Maine, Governor Carl E. Milliken and Harold M. Sewall; Maryland, General Carl R. Gray; Massachusetts, James J. Storrow; Michigan, Major Roy C. Vandercook; Minnesota, C. W. March, J. F. McKee, and C. W. Ames; Mississippi, Frederick Bullene; Missouri, F. B. Munford; Montana, Charles J. Kelley; Nebraska, Robert M. Joyce and General George H. Harris; Nevada, Governor Emmet D. Boyle; New Hampshire, J. B. Jamesen; New Jersey, Governor Walter E. Edge and Adjt. Gen. C. W. Barber; New Mexico, W. A. Hawkins; New York, Adjt. Gen. Stotesbury; North Carolina, Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt; North Dakota, Lynn J. Frazier; Ohio, General George H. Wood; Oklahoma, J. M. Aydelotte; Oregon, Robert N. Stanfield; Pennsylvania, George Wharton Pepper; Rhode Island, Colonel George H. Webb; South Carolina, Governor Richard I. Manning or Christie Benet; South Dakota, Elwood C. Perisho; Tennessee, Rutledge Smith; Texas, Joseph Hirsch; Utah, A. N. McKay; Vermont, Colonel Ira L. Reeves; Virginia, R. W. Moore; Washington, Governor Ernest Lister; West Virginia, Governor John J. Cornwall; Wisconsin, Magnus Swenson and A. L. Dennis; Wyoming, Henry G. Knight.

VIVIANI AND JOFFRE PROMISE TO COME HERE

Accept Invitation Extended by Mayor Mitchel — Balfour Also Hopes to Come.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 1. — Mayor Mitchel and a group of New Yorkers arrived in Washington this morning to call on the leaders of the French and British missions and invite them to visit New York. At the White residence, where the French mission is staying, the committee saw M. Viviani and Marshal Joffre. They met Mr. Balfour at the Breckinridge Long home, the official residence of the British.

In reply to a brief speech of invitation from the Mayor, M. Viviani told the committee that New York was already on the schedule of the tour which has been mapped out for the mission, adding that he and his associates could not think of leaving this great country without visiting its greatest city.

Mr. Balfour replied most cordially to Mr. Mitchel's invitation on behalf of the British mission, expressing his hope that they might be able to accept, but saying that their program was still so indefinite and they had so much work to accomplish that it was impossible for him to say as yet whether the members of his party would be able to visit New York. In his speech to Mr. Balfour, Mayor Mitchel remarked that America now realized that it had been protected by the British Navy during the last two years and a half.

With Mr. Mitchel were Controller William A. Prendergast, George T. Wilson, Dudley Field Malone, George W. Wickersham, Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, John Mitchell, E. H. Outerbridge, William Fellowes Morgan, Henry Morgenthau, Willard D. Straight, Henry S. Thompson, Lamar Hardy, George W. Burleigh, Frederick H. Pratt, Robert Adamson, Henry N. Hall, and Theodore Rousseau.

OPPOSES HOME RULE ACTION

State Grand Lodge of Loyal Orange Institution Issues Statement.

The New York State Grand Lodge of the Loyal Orange Institution, which met yesterday at Twenty-third Street and Eighth Avenue, issued the following statement adopted by the lodge:

"The New York State Grand Lodge of the Loyal Orange Institution registers its protest against the exploitation of alleged American sentiment in favor of Irish Home Rule, and the effort to commit America to Government by party or any policy or expression of opinion that would counsel or countenance any action by which the British Government would deprive the Protestant population of Ireland of the rights of equal peoplery and reward for Ulster's glorious contribution to the victorious armies of our allies by committing that part of Ireland that has rendered the last full measure of devotion to our common cause to the murderous passions of those who have openly defied all the claims of honor and humanity and illustrated their Germanic rightfulness in the perfidious assassinations of the Easter rebellion."

The statement further asserts that the newspapers and periodicals which have been supporting the Home Rule agitation are for the most part those which supported the Representatives and Senators who refused to stand by President Wilson, and denounces Champ Clark and those members of Congress who called advice to England a few days ago to grant Home Rule to Ireland.

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FRENCH VISITORS HAILED IN SENATE

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hands deafeningly and rose, the galleries shouted more deafeningly still and rose, leaning forward and waving, while members of the House standing at the back of the chamber surged forward.

The visitors shook hands with the Vice President and stood beside him, looking with evident pleasure at the wild scene before them. When the applause had lasted for several minutes Mr. Marshall tapped for order.

"The Senate of the United States," he said, "has had the pleasure and honor many times of receiving distinguished visitors to the Republic. It had the honor of receiving General Lafayette, and now, nearly a century later, it has the honor of welcoming the Vice Premier of the French Government and the Marshal of France."

Shake Hands with Senators.

"Mr. President," said Senator Martin of Virginia, the majority leader, "I move that the Senate now recess so that Senators may have the pleasure of greeting personally our distinguished guests."

The motion was carried by acclamation, and an informal reception began. The guests ranged themselves on the lowest step of the President's rostrum. Mr. Hitchcock stood at one side to make the introductions, and the Senators and Representatives, led by Senator Walsh of Montana, filed by. Mr. Hankhead of Alabama was introduced as a soldier of the Confederacy. Those who knew French, like Mr. Lewis of Illinois, Mr. La Follette of Wisconsin, Mr. Broussard of Louisiana, and Representative Estopinal of Louisiana, stopped to exchange a few words. Then the little pages, all in knickerbockers, took their turn, one of them, the smallest, a bright-eyed boy, receiving a pat on the head from General Joffre. The officers of the Senate were presented last.

There was a little pause, with whispered hints that the Senate would like to hear from the visitors, and this desire was finally voiced by the Vice President. M. Viviani responded with willing readiness.

The Vice Premier is an orator, and even those who knew no French realized it in his opening sentences. The Senate has had many a French speech, but it has been long since it listened to such rhythmical enunciation, so perfectly illustrated by gesture. It hardly needed the applause of a linguist like Senator Lodge to tell where the climaxes came, and the crowds joined in, confident that they approved even when they didn't fully understand.

M. Viviani seem to hint at a plan on President Wilson's part to visit France when his term expires to bring the ruler of United States to a free Europe. That occasion, he said, would bring forth "a yet grander manifestation" of welcome than that accorded the French delegation by the United States.

The United States, he said, had set the democracies of the world a magnificent example. The United States, with France and England, showed to the old autocratic régimes that freedom "not only enflames all hearts, but co-ordinates and unites behind it all needed efforts." The struggle, he added, would end in a victory by force, to be followed by a reorganization of the society of nations.

His voice was low and musical as he concluded:

"We will shatter the ponderous sword of militarism; we will establish guarantees for peace; and then we can disappear from the world's stage, since we shall leave at the cost of our common immolation the noblest heritage future generations can possess."

Viviani's Speech.

M. Viviani said:

"Since I have been granted the supreme honor of speaking before the representatives of the American people, may I ask them first to allow me to thank this magnificent capital for the welcome it has accorded us. Accustomed as we are in our own free land to popular manifestations, and though we had been warned by your fellow-countrymen who live in Paris of the enthusiastic burning in your hearts, we are still full of the emotion raised by the sights that awaited us. I shall never cease to see the proud and stalwart men who saluted our passage; your women, whose grace adds fresh beauty to your city, their arms outstretched full of flowers, and your children hurrying to meet us at the call of their schoolmasters, as if our coming were looked upon as a lesson for them, all with one accord acclaiming, in our perishable persons, immortal France. And yet I predict there will be a yet grander manifestation the day when your illustrious President, relieved from the burden of power, will come among us bearing the salute of the Republic of the United States to a free Europe, whose foundations from end to end shall be based on right. It is with unspeakable emotion that we cross the threshold of this legislative palace where prudence and calmness meet, and that I, for the first time in the annals of America, though a foreigner, speak in this hall, which only a few days since resounded with the words of your fellow-citizens.

"You have set all the democracies of the world the most magnificent example. So soon as the common peril was made manifest to you, with simplicity and within a few short days you voted a formidable credit, proclaimed that a formidable army was to be raised. The commentary on his acts President Wilson gave before acting, and which you made yours, remains in the history of free peoples the weightiest lessons."

Heard the Cry of Humanity.

"Doubtless you were resolved to avenge the insult offered your flag, which the whole world respected; doubtless though the thickness of these massive walls the mournful cry of all the victims which criminal hands hurled into the depths of the sea, has reached and stirred your souls; but it will be your honor in long years to have heard the cry of humanity, and invoked against autocracy the rights of democracies. And I can only wonder as I speak, what if they still have any power to think—are the thoughts of the autocrats, who three years ago against us, three months ago against you, unchained this conflict. Ah! doubtless they said among themselves that a democracy is an ideal government, that it showers reforms among mankind, that it can do the greatest labor, undertake all economic activities. And yet now we see the French Republic which is fighting in defense of its territory and the liberty of nations by opposing to the avalanche let loose by Prussian militarism the union of all its children who are still capable of striking many a weighty blow.

"And now we see England, far removed like you from conscription, who has also by virtue of a discipline accepted it and raised from her soil mile lons of fighting men. And we see other nations accomplishing the same act; and that liberty not only inflames all hearts, but co-ordinates and brings into being all needed efforts. And now we see all America rise and sharpen her weapons in the midst of peace for the common struggle.

"Together we will carry on that struggle; and when by force we have at last imposed military victory, our labors will not be concluded. Our task will be—I utter the noble words of President Wilson—to organize the society of nations. I well know that our enemies, who have never seen before them anything but horizons of carnage, will never cease to jeer at so noble a dream. Such has always been the fate of ideas at their birth; and if thinkers and men of action had allowed themselves to be discouraged by sceptics, mankind would still be in its infancy and we should still be slaves. After material victory we will win this moral victory. We will shatter the ponderous sword of militarism; we will establish guarantees for peace; and then we can disappear from the world's stage, since we shall leave at the cost of our common immolation the noblest heritage future generations can possess."

The visitors withdrew to the Vice President's room, where the French-speaking members of Congress followed for a few moments' conversation. The crowds pressed in that direction, too, all eager to shake hands with the Marshal of France. General Joffre smiled and saluted all who could reach him.

To See the President Today.

Tomorrow M. Viviani and Marshal Joffre, and probably Admiral Chocheprat, will have luncheon at the White House and talk over war problems with the President personally.

Late this afternoon the Frenchmen were the centre of a demonstration of patriotic enthusiasm at an exhibition of moving pictures of the battle of the Somme. Military members of the mission saw themselves in the pictures, and Secretary Lane, who presided, delivered an address in which, after paying tribute to M. Viviani and Marshal Joffre, he said:

"An aid of Marshal Joffre has told me the true story of the Marne. Day after day the Marshal sat at a map in his headquarters, moving the flag of France back toward Paris and the flag of Germany forward, as the armies of Prussianism were driven on. The Marne was reached, and Joffre, tired of moving the flags toward Paris, suddenly wrote on a slip of paper: 'We shall stand at the Marne and die there if necessary. This has gone far enough!' That was the spirit of France then and now.

"It has taken us in the United States a long time to find out about this war and what it means. There was Belgium, the Lusitania, the Sussex; we saw the highways of the world closed to us, we saw men taken from their homes and deported to a foreign land. Now we join with Joffre and say, 'This has gone far enough!'"

Myron T. Herrick, former Ambassador to France, also spoke.

Tonight the leading members of the mission were guests at a dinner given by Chief Justice White.

Both the French and British mission will be invited to visit the House of Representatives at their convenience. Speaker Clark today was authorized to extend the invitations. It is doubtful whether the French visitors can appear in the House until after their tour of Eastern and Middle Western States, which begins on Thursday.

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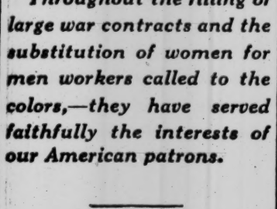

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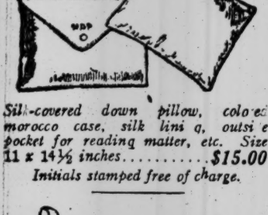

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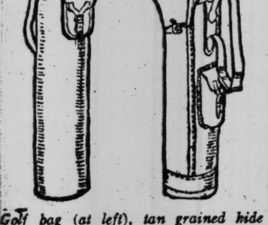

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Army and Navy Departments Assign Censors — Text of President's Order and Regulations.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—A military censorship over submarine cables and over telegraph and telephone lines along the Mexican border was put into effect by the army and navy today, under authority of an Executive order issued by President Wilson on April 28. The order is broad enough to enable the army to exercise a censorship over telegraph and telephone lines going from this country to Canada, but the censorship of telephone and telegraph wires will, for the present, affect only the Mexican border.

The navy has charge of the cable censorship. The army has charge of the censorship of telephone and telegraph lines. Secretary Daniels has assigned Commander David W. Todd, Director of Naval Communications, to have charge of the cable censorship. Commander Arthur B. Hoff will have charge of the New York division of the cable censorship. Brig. Gen. Frank McIntyre, Chief of the Bureau of Insular Affairs of the War Department, has been selected by Secretary of War Baker to direct the telephone and telegraph censorship on the Mexican border.

The President's Order.

The text of President Wilson's Executive order establishing these new censorships follows:

Whereas, The existence of a state of war between the United States and the Imperial German Government makes it essential to the public safety that no communication of a character which would aid the enemy or its allies shall be had;

Therefore, by virtue of the power vested in me under the Constitution and by the joint resolution passed by Congress on April 6, 1917, declaring the existence of a state of war, it is ordered that all companies or other persons owning, controlling, or operating telegraph or telephone lines or submarine cables are hereby prohibited from transmitting messages to points without the United States, and from delivering messages received from such points, except those permitted under rules and regulations to be established by the Secretary of War for telegraph and telephone lines and by the Secretary of the Navy for submarine cables.

To these departments, respectively, is delegated the duty of preparing and enforcing rules and regulations under this order to accomplish the purpose mentioned.

This order shall take effect from date.

WOODROW WILSON.

The Committee on Public Information, in announcing the establishment of the censorship, explained that conferences with the heads of the cable, telephone, and telegraph companies had been held in Washington in the past week, at which all plans had been worked out in detail; also that "an expert personnel, previously selected, and the generous and complete co-operation of the various companies, combine to assure expedition and efficiency from the outset."

Object of the Censorship.

The official explanation of the objects of censorship follows:

First—To deny the enemy information of military value or any information prejudicial to the interests of the United States or to the interests of the other enemies of the Imperial German Government.

Second—To obtain information of value to the several departments of the United States Government.

Third—To prevent the spreading of false reports or reports likely to interfere, directly or indirectly, with the successes of the naval or military operations of the United States or likely to prejudice relations with foreign powers or the security, training, discipline, or administration of the naval or military forces of the United States.

The regulations for the cable censorship were announced as follows:

Codes—The following authorized codes may be used, conditioned on their acceptability under the censorship regulations in effect in the foreign countries concerned. The name of the code shall be written in the check and be signaled free: A. B. C; 5th; Scott's, tenth edition; Western Union (not including five-letter edition;) Lieber's (not including five-letter edition;) Bentley's Complete Phrase Code, (not including the oil and mining supplements;) Broomhall's Imperial Combination Code; Broomhall's Imperial Combination Code, rubber edition; Meyer's Atlantic Cotton Code, thirty-ninth edition; Riverside Code, fifth edition; A. Z.

Addresses—Must be complete, but properly registered addresses may be used where permitted by the censorship abroad. However, code addresses registered subsequent to Dec. 31, 1916, may not be used in messages to and from Central and South America, Cuba, Porto Rico, Virgin Islands, Haiti, Santo Domingo; Curacao, or in messages transiting over the Commercial-Pacific cable or via transpacific wireless.

Text—Cablegrams without text will not be passed.

Signatures—All cablegrams must be signed by the name of the firm, or, in case of an individual, by at least the surname; code addresses as signatures are not permitted.

Decoding and Translation of Cablegrams—All code cablegrams and cablegrams written in the approved foreign languages will be decoded or translated by censors.

Suppressions, Delays, &c.—All cablegrams are accepted at the sender's risk, and may be stopped, delayed, or otherwise dealt with at the discretion of the censor and without notice to the senders. No information respecting the transmission, delivery, or other disposal of any cablegram shall be given by paid service, and requests made by mail must be addressed to the telegraph or cable companies and must be passed upon by the censor. Telegraphic and post acknowledgments of receipt (P. C. and P. C. P. services) are suspended in all countries.

Information to Senders—Any explanation of a text word or words, &c., required by the censor from the sender in the United States shall be obtained by a collect message from the censor to the sender and by a paid reply from the sender of the cablegram.

Coded cablegrams filed directly at cable offices where a cable censor is stationed, as New York, Key West, Galveston, and San Francisco, should be accompanied by a translation. This will expedite the work of the censor and thereby greatly reduce delay.

All submarine cable lines touching American shores are covered by the censorship.

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Although the President's order for the regulation of cable communication was to the effect that the censorship was to go into force at once, up to a late hour last night the Postal Telegraph and Commercial Cable Company and the Western Union, cable department, had not been instructed officially that the censorship was on. While officials of both companies have participated in conferences here and in Washington in the last week, they declared yesterday that so far as they had been informed the question of how the censorship was to be enforced was still in a tentative stage.

The impression at the executive offices of the concerns, however, was that there would be no attempt made to interfere with cable messages from Europe on the ground that all incoming messages are sufficiently censored by the French and British authorities. Messages sent from here overseas will be subject to censorship, as will be communications from points not now covered by the Allied censorship. All of the officials were certain that the censorship would not retard transmission of commercial messages.

The censor appointed for the New York district, Commander Arthur B. Hoff, U. S. N., retired, was Assistant Naval Attaché in London during the Spanish-American war, and was serving as Attaché in Berlin when the naval "plucking" board retired him in 1913. Since June, 1914, he has been serving as Industrial Commissioner for the Erie Railroad, with offices at 50 Church Street. For the last ten days he has been going over the details of the censorship with local cable officials, and coincident with the announcement that he had been chosen to watch over cable communication, it was learned that offices had been retained for the work at 64 Broad Street. There, with a headquarters staff of 100, Commander Hoff will direct the censorship for the district.

None of his assistants will be inexperienced, for, according to one source, the Navy Department has been quietly preparing a corps for censor service. Of the staff to work here, sixteen will be young women, all specially trained in decoding messages—the work to which they will be assigned. The work of enrolling these assistants was started at 6 o'clock last night in the offices of the Naval Coast Defense Reserve Corps, 26 Cortlandt Street, following a conference between Commander Hoff and representatives of the cable companies. Among those sworn in were members of the Government's regular force of censors, key operators, and Spanish translators—the last specially needed, as most of the censoring will be done on messages originating in points in Central and South America.

Commander Hoff professed to have no knowledge of when actual work would begin, and declined to discuss how his organization was to work.

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WANTS NEWSPAPER MEN TO DIRECT CENSORSHIP

Representative Kahn Would So Amend Espionage Bill—Senate Again Takes Up Measure.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—The Administration Espionage bill was taken up by the Senate tonight and made the unfinished business with a view to passing it during the present week.

The censorship section already has been approved by the Senate, but there will be opportunities during the week to consider it again. A provision authorizing the President to declare an embargo on exports that might go through neutral countries to Germany and Austria is expected to lead to vigorous opposition.

A similar bill is pending before the House, where Representative Kahn of California announced today he would introduce an amendment to place the power of censorship in the hands of a committee consisting of four experienced newspapermen and one representative each of the State, War, and Navy Departments.

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French Girl Tells Horrors of Deportation by the Germans.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, May 1.—Le Journal publishes an interview with a young girl from Lille who, deported by the Germans a year ago for harvest work, has just been able to return to France.

The girl, who is of a well-to-do family, was summoned at night, taken to the station, where she was entrained with thirty other young women and 500 men in cattle vans. A German Lieutenant told one of the girls she should be proud, as she was now attached to the Sixth Army Corps of the Bavarian Crown Prince. The deported workers were provided with papers showing they were attached to the corps. The voyagers had to submit to numerous sanitary visits which the German army doctors rendered obnoxious. During a certain period supplies were seized entirely, the deported persons being obliged to subsist for days on unripe fruit.

Iron discipline was maintained, the workers having to march in military step to and from work. Consequently there were frequent cases of sickness. One young woman, having succumbed to the hard life, the German arranged an elaborate funeral, at which the commanding officer made a touching oration in honor of the victim. The Germans insisted these deported people were paid workers. What these "wages" amounted to can be imagined, in view of the fact that earnings of the young girl in question for six months' labor amounted in all to $1.89.

2 AMERICANS DECORATED.

France Gives Legion of Honor to Andrew and Norton, Ambulance Men

EPERNAY, France, May 1.—General Ragueneau of General Nivelle's staff on Sunday afternoon presented the order of the Legion of Honor to A. Piatt Andrew, Inspector General of the American Field Ambulance.

The ceremony took place in the courtyard of an old country house near Rheims.

Information has come from Paris that Richard Norton has received the Legion of Honor from the French Government, the first American to receive this distinction for services during the war.

With H. H. Harjes he was the co-originator of the American Volunteer Ambulance Corps. Mr. Norton was graduated at Harvard in 1892, and is a son of the late Charles Eliot Norton.

GEORGE V. TO URGE ECONOMY

King of England to Ask People to Use 25 Per Cent. Less Food.

LONDON, May 1.—King George will issue a proclamation soon urging the people to economize to the extent of 25 per cent. in the consumption of food, owing to the gravity of the situation. The proclamation will be read publicly from the steps of the Royal Exchange in London and all Town Halls throughout the country. On Sunday it will be read in all churches.

SIMS AT WINDSOR CASTLE.

American Admiral a Guest There While Working Out War Problems.

LONDON, May 1.—Rear Admiral William S. Sims, President of the American Naval War College, at Newport, R. I., is a guest at Windsor Castle, according to the Court calendar.

Admiral Sims is engaged with the British naval authorities in working out problems involved by the participation of the United States in the war.

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RESENTS PRESS MUZZLE

Acrimonious Debate in Commons Over Nation Article That Was Copied and Disseminated in Germany.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Wednesday, May 2.—The Nation, in the course of an article entitled "An Appeal to American Liberalism," says:

"In the close material and spiritual partnership between our country and America for the rescue of civilization, America coming in late and with her own spiritual resources as yet intact can perform an incomparable service in helping to revive the flagging spirit of British liberty at home. Liberalism here, as the otherwise unimportant incident of the suppression of our own overseas circulation shows, is a threatened cause.

"Now, America under President Wilson's guidance can show better than any European State how it is possible for a free nation to fight a war for freedom without losing its own freedom in the process. Our own costly lessons, even, may help America to conserve the principles of domestic liberty and to avoid the dangerous temptation of short-range bureaucratic expediency to scrap every wholesome human liberty 'for the duration of the war.' We cannot believe that Americans will consent to lay down on the altar of war one after another of their most precious principles of self-government or will pretend that self-government can be conducted on any other policy than that of keeping the mind and intelligence of the people nourished with the fullest knowledge and the freest opportunities of communication and discussion.

"Selected information and doctored criticism are enemies of free co-operation, and knowledge of that treason to intellectual liberty must weaken the moral bonds of confidence which should unite the Governments and peoples of our alliance. The interception of lines of free communication is in fact the counterpart of those very practices of secrecy and intrigue with which our enemies have been seeking to corrupt the mind of the American public from the beginning of the war and which President Wilson denounced in scathing terms in his message.

"War at its then consecrated champion of democracy, America may rightly and reasonably ask of her democratic allies that they shall not by lowering themselves to the level of their enemies in their internal conduct of war damage the enthusiastic faith of the American people in the goodness of their cause. For Americans have as keen a sense as others of the inconsistencies between principle and practice in the conduct of their friends. They may submit like others to certain curtailments of their normal liberties of action in a time of war, but they will, if we mistake not, remain the zealous guardians of the fundemental liberties of thought and speech. They will continue to want to know and to found their personal knowledge upon the freest access to the knowledge and views of others, especially of those with whom they have a common bond of language and mutual understanding."

The Nation was the subject of further questions in the House of Commons yesterday. MacCullum Scott asked the Prime Minister if he would state who were the Directors of the Nation newspaper, whose articles had been picked up in the German trenches and circulated for the encouragement of their soldiers and where the articles were originally published. Under Secretary of State for War MacPherson, who replied, said:

"The gentleman referred to by the Prime Minister was the member for the Stirling Burghs, Mr. Ponsonby, who is said to be associated with the direction of a trust fund, created for subsidizing The Nation and other papers."

Mr. Ponsonby, who was present, queried: "May I ask on whose information the honorable gentleman has it that I am a Director or associated at all with The Nation? And is he aware that no article over my signature has appeared in The Nation since the beginning of the war?"

Mr. MacPherson: "I understand the article referred to was not published in The Nation but in THE NEW YORK TIMES and was quoted in a paper found in possession of a German prisoner. There is no doubt that the particular article in The Nation, supposed to have been written by the member for the Stirling Burghs, was used by the Germans, and that it was contained in a paper found upon a German prisoner. An extract from a leaflet written by the member for Stirling Burghs, 'an honorable member, and passed by the censor,' gave a very grave view of the state of this country at the time, and the German propaganda department, an extremely clever organization, used it, prefacing it with some such words as 'Let us see now what a well known British democrat has to say about the situation.'"

Mr. MacPherson said he had seen the paper referred to, which was found on the German prisoner, and he had seen an extract from THE NEW YORK TIMES.

Mr. Pringle observed that seldom had a case been put up by the Government which had crumbled so completely on examination. The Member for the Stirling Burghs was not and never has been a Director of The Nation, nor had he during the war written any article for that paper over his signature.

Mr. MacPherson said he could not answer the question as to how this article from The Nation got into the German papers, but it was a fact that it was reproduced word for word in the Lokal-Anzeiger. He had not concluded his reply when the House stood adjourned.

BRITISH ADMIRALTY TO BE REORGANIZED

Changes in Inventions Board and Sea Traffic Department to Deal with U-Boats.

LONDON, Wednesday, May 2.—Important reorganizations of the staff and methods of the admiralty will shortly be put into effect for the purpose of meeting the submarine menace, according to The Daily Mail. The changes are being planned by Premier Lloyd George, in collaboration with Sir Edward Carson and the War Cabinet. The Premier has lately been devoting much attention to the problem, and has directed important inquiries with a view to the introduction of new methods.

An examination of the administrative machinery with which the admiralty has been fighting submarines in the past is said by The Mail to have convinced the Premier that a reorganization is desirable. The paper specifies two directions in which important changes are contemplated, namely, the Admiralty Inventions Board, of which Lord Fisher is Chairman, and the Department in Control of Sea Traffic. The Mail asserts that the direction of sea traffic has been inefficient, owing to a failure to realize the great proportions of the submarine menace.

Chinese Minister Leaves Berlin.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BERLIN, May 1, (via London.)—Dr. Yen, Chinese Minister at Berlin, and staff left for Copenhagen today. Many friends assembled at the railway station to bid the popular Minister farewell, among them members of the German Foreign Office. Some minor officials remain to care for interests of some forty Chinese students.

CALL FOR OUR TROOPS ABROAD GAINS FAVOR

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available tonnage at the disposal of the Allies.

Lord Eustace Percy, who is the chief authority on trade with the British mission, told newspaper men today that the Germans were sinking ships faster than the Allies could build them and that the submarine menace was above all else the chief menace which they had to face.

"The British yards alone," he said, "cannot possibly meet the present rate at which our ships are being sunk by German submarines. England and the United States will have to combine in the task, and both will have to speed up their programs. It is a race between the combined producing abilities of the two countries against the submarine ravages.

"So far as Britain herself is concerned, she could get along comfortably, but she has to see to the needs of her allies; to send coal, steel, oil, and food to them. We have enough bottoms to import the 10,000,000 tons of wheat surplus from our dominions, and our annual consumption is only 6,000,000 tons. We have to bear the burden of world transportation, however, and we look to the United States for relief in the situation."

Only a little over 20 per cent. of the total merchant tonnage of Great Britain is now free from requisition for military uses, and most of this is represented by passenger liners, Lord Percy said. About 34 per cent. is in direct naval and military service, while from 22 to 24 per cent. is operating under an arrangement by which part of the shipping space is reserved for food and war supplies.

If Great Britain is to continue her military service at the present rate in the face of submarine losses the United States must make up the difference.

Although, he said he could not give out an estimate of the number of vessels sunk, he said as a basis of estimate forty British merchant ships were sunk in the third week of April.

"There are now only 200 ships in foreign trade service, carrying jute, rubber, wool, and hides from the Far East, Africa, and Australia to the United States," he said. "Fifteen per cent. of the total British tonnage is carrying supplies to and from France and the United States. One thing which we can do to aid is cut down needless exports and imports. We have begun this already and will develop it further. We are gradually diminishing the number of ships engaged in foreign trade service and conserving our tonnage."

Lord Percy explained at length the methods pursued by the Allies in co-operating on the shipping problem in conference at London. Japanese shipyards are being used to build ships to transport American steel, and plans are under way to utilize Canadian yards as well.

Admiral de Chair conferred with Secretary Daniels this morning and, it is understood, discussed the submarine problem. General Bridges called at the War Department and conferred with Secretary Baker this afternoon.

M. Viviani had a conference this morning with Marshal Joffre, Admiral Chocheprat, and Jules Jusserand, the French Ambassador, reviewing the work already accomplished and checking up on results. Mr. Balfour had luncheon today with Daniel Willard, President of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company and Chairman of the Advisory Commission of the Council of National Defense.

Ship Shortage the Obstacle.

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—The United States stands ready to send an army to Europe whenever the Allies deem it wise to divert the necessary shipping from transporting food to transporting men.

It became known definitely today that the Government had offered the Allies troops, but had suggested that the alarming shortage of world shipping might make it impractical to send them at once. In spite of objections of the General Staff to putting any American forces on the firing line before the great war army has been raised and trained, the Administration has determined that the small contingent earnestly desired by France for moral effect shall be sent as soon as possible. The general belief here is that the way soon will be found.

Whether the force first to carry the Stars and Stripes into battle in France shall be made up of regulars or National Guardsmen, or both, has not been worked out. This phase was not discussed at today's Cabinet meeting, but Secretary Baker remained afterward for a conference with President Wilson.

State Department officials have continuously urged the sending of an army, solely for its psychological effect, not only in encouraging the allied troops, but in discouraging the Germans. Convinced that the diplomatic advantages far outweighed the technical and training difficulties advanced by the General Staff, they have felt that such a step would consecrate the United States as a full member of the alliance entitled to a most honorable seat at the peace conference.

The amount of tonnage that would be required for transport is usually put at about twenty tons per man in a fully equipped force. For the regular American unit of 24,000 men, nearly half a million tons, therefore, would be necessary, or ships about equal to the seized German tonnage in American waters. It remains for the Allies to figure out if they can afford to divert that amount of shipping.

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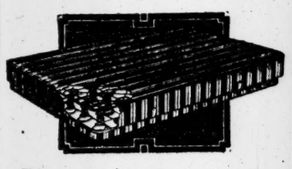

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Shipping Expert Points Out to Washington the Great Difficulties of Transportation.

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Men Could Be Accommodated Without Interference with Passengers or Cargoes, He Says.

The difficulty of transporting large numbers of troops to France under the present conditions of limited shipping facilities and submarine activity has been pointed out to the Administration at Washington by a New York shipping expert, who also suggested that small bodies of troops should be sent over at once on every passenger and freight steamship leaving this port.

With the present amount of tonnage available, he said, in discussing the matter yesterday, it might be possible to transport 500,000 troops to France in twelve months by working at the highest pressure, if there were no accidents to cause delay, but it was more likely that it would take eighteen months to convey that number with their equipment.

"Very few persons, outside of the shipping experts," he continued, "have any idea of what it means to transport 100,000 men across the Atlantic, with all their equipment, let alone one or two millions, as proposed by the Government. As soon as the War Department can make arrangements American troops should be dispatched in drafts on ocean traffic. Leaving the Atlantic ports, from the big liner, which can accommodate from 2,000 to 3,000, down to the small freighter, which could only carry 200 men, I understand there are about 100,000 Italian, French, and British in the United States of fighting age and they should be rounded up and sent across while the drafts of American troops are being got ready.

"The four American liners New York, Philadelphia, St. Louis, and St. Paul could carry about 2,000 men each, in addition to their ordinary passengers, mails, and cargo. The Manchuria, Mongolia, Minnesota, Finland, and Kroonland could carry about 2,000 troops each easily without interfering with their cargo capacity to any extent. The regular passenger liners of the Cunard, White Star, and French Steamship Companies could carry 2,000 or 3,000 men on their tween decks and during the warm Summer months, another thousand men on deck.

"Freighters which have no passenger accommodation could carry their dead weight cargo in the lower hold and have the 'tween decks fitted with hammocks for the accommodation of troops. Permission for these vessels to carry passengers would have to be obtained from the licensing boards of their respective countries, but it should not be difficult as it is for national service."

This expert added that the German and Austrian steamships in New York could convey from 40,000 to 45,000 troops when they were properly fitted up as transports, but the main thing was for the Government to start and organize this transportation bureau now, so that the staff would be efficient when the time of real emergency arrived.

Four years ago, when the Federal Government had practically decided to send an expeditionary force of 100,000 to 150,000 troops to Mexico, the Army and Navy Departments were instructed to provide the necessary transportation for the men, artillery, and equipment. It was not discovered until two years afterward that through lack of co-ordination the army and navy had each made arrangements for the chartering of all American shipping.

HOSPITAL UNITS READY.

Appeal Issued by Organizations Here for Non-Professional Staffs.

The directors of the seven Red Cross base hospital units in New York, one of which, the Presbyterian Hospital unit, has been ordered to France, held a meeting at the College of Physicians and Surgeons yesterday to discuss plans for the mobilization of the various units. Those present were Dr. Samuel Lloyd of the Post-Graduate Hospital unit, Dr. George D. Stewart of the Bellevue unit, Dr. Nathan Brill of the Mount Sinai Hospital unit, Dr. Frederick Kammerer of the German Hospital unit, Dr. Charles E. Peck of the Roosevelt Hospital unit, and Dr. Charles L. Gibson of the New York Hospital unit. All of the units, it was said, expect mobilization orders within the next week or ten days. The Red Cross was represented at yesterday's meeting by Leo Arnstein, Chairman of the Base Hospital Committee of the New York Chaper, who was also Chairman of the committee which raised the $250,000 needed to equip the units.

The directors reported that the personnel of the staffs of their units, including the professional nurses, are in readiness for active service and that most of the equipment is ready.

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SPURNED BY GOMPERS

Wall Street Wolf and His Prison Keeper Create Disturbance at Opening of Court.

George Plochmann, Treasurer of the Transatlantic Trust Company, 67 William Street, testified yesterday at the trial of Captain Franz von Rintelen, David Lamar, ex-Congressman Buchanan, and their five associates of Labor's National Peace Council that von Rintelen, a German naval officer, had deposited $508,000 with his institution in April and May of 1915.

John Lord O'Brian, who made the opening argument for the prosecution, said that von Rintelen had brought this sum with him in currency when he arrived in this country, early in April, 1915, to use in disrupting the munition industry through labor disturbances. The chief factor in bringing von Rintelen's plan to nothing, Mr. O'Brian said, was the indignant refusal of Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, to have anything to do with the pro-German conspiracy, and the refusal or withdrawal of all other genuine labor leaders as soon as they saw the true nature of the enterprise.

As Mr. O'Brian pictured it, the same lack of judgment which has wrecked practically all pro-German schemes in this country characterized the von Rintelen plot. For instance, when conventions of labor leaders, farmers, and pacifists were held in Chicago and Washington, the true Americans who attended from honest motives were instantly made suspicious, because von Rintelen's agents went about brazenly waving handfuls of money and scattering it among the delegates.

The Prosecutor said that, when von Rintelen arrived, early in April, he was immediately put in touch with David Lamar, who is said to have agreed readily to assist in spending the half million dollars.

As a necessary means for bringing about strikes it was sought to enlist labor leaders. Above all, Mr. O'Brian said, it was considered necessary to enlist the powerful support of Samuel Gompers, and Buchanan, who was said to have received $5,000 of von Rintelen's money, went to Atlantic City to call on Gompers.

"Mr. Gompers declined to have anything to do with it," said Mr. O'Brian. "But they went ahead and enlisted a number of other more or less well-known labor leaders, allowing them to know nothing about the German money."

The first witnesses called yesterday were Alexander H. Galt and Lucius M. Hull, stenographers, who identified the minutes of the Peace Council Convention in Washington on Aug. 1.

The third witness was George Plochmann, Treasurer of the Transatlantic Trust Company, who said that von Rintelen had deposited $8,000 with that company early in April, 1915; $200,000 on April 20, 1915, and $300,000 on May 20, 1915. He said that Lamar presented a check drawn by von Rintelen for about $3,500. On cross-examination he said he remembered this occurrence because Harry B. Fonda, Vice President of the company, had exclaimed to him:

"That's David Lamar. I hope von Rintelen isn't having anything to do with him."

Plochmann said he had been sure it was not Lamar, "I said, 'Oh, no, that is a Mexican.'"

On May 11, 1915, Mr. Plochmann said Lamar cashed one of von Rintelen's checks for $15,000.

Lamar, who has made himself the central figure in the courtroom, began early by quarreling loudly with his guard before the trial started. He was leaning over the press table talking when his keeper, C. B. Musgrave of the Atlanta Prison, asked him to return to his seat. Lamar angrily refused. When the guard spoke to him peremptorily Lamar shouted: "Touch me at your peril."

Musgrave caught him by the collar and hustled him into his seat. Seven jurors were in the box when this occurred, and counsel for the defendants asked for dismissal of the jury and a new beginning of the case.

Mr. Dolphin said that a man had said loud enough for the jury to hear that it was disgraceful to allow a convict to act so, and insisted that this remark, and the physical handling of Lamar degraded him and prejudiced the jury against him.

Ex-United States Senator Joseph W. Bailey, representing Buchanan, and Frank Moss, representing Fowler, argued that, after this exhibition, it was unfair for their clients to be forced to trial as associates of Lamar. Isaac R. Oeland, chief counsel for the United States, then agreed to the dismissal of the jury, which had not been sworn, but Judge Cushman refused.

Immediately after this argument A. P. Jacobs, foreman of the jury, rose, said that he had overheard while going home the night before that Lamar was a convict. He said he could not believe a convict and asked to be excused. Seamon Sylvester, another juror, asked to be dismissed because of a death in his family. Both jurors were allowed to go, and Edward T. Byrne, an automobile salesman of 159 East Fifty-fifth Street, and Samuel Solomon, a salesman of 1,324 Fifth Avenue, were chosen to replace them.

HER HOME FOR HOSPITAL.

Miss Morosini Would House Wounded Soldiers on Her Estate.

Miss Giulia Morosini, daughter of the late financier and owner of Elmhurst, Riverdale-on-the-Hudson, in the upper part of the city, intimated to the authorities yesterday that, should American troops be dispatched to France and need thus arise to establish here a large number of detached hospitals for wounded men and sanitariums for convalescents, she would be willing to give up the greater part of her residence and its grounds for either purpose, retaining only enough of its rooms to house herself and her brother, who lives with her. Elmhurst is one of the most beautiful residences in Riverdale and is regarded there as the show place of the settlement.

KING PLEADS FOR PRISONERS

Alfonso Favors Exchange of Those Captured Early in the War.

MADRID, May 1, (via Paris.)—King Alfonso is working hard to obtain the consent of all the warring Governments to the exchange of prisoners captured in the early battles of the war. In an audience given recently to Deputy Prat of Versailles the King said:

"It would be a humane work to end the torture which these good and brave soldiers, whose heroism and hardihood are incontestable, have been undergoing for thirty-two months. I should be most happy if I could bring it about."

INTENDED BOMB FOR J. P. MORGAN & CO.

Germans Arrested with It Are Held in $10,000 Bail for Grand Jury.

HIRSCH SEEN AT WORK

Police Saw Him Experiment in Laboratory—His Comrade Denies Any Knowledge of Plot.

Wolf Hirsch testified before Magistrate Groehl in the West Side Court yesterday that the two-pound bomb, which he was carrying when the police arrested him Monday night, was to have been exploded in the banking house of J. P. Morgan & Co., at Wall Street and Broad. His companion, George Meyringer, insisted that he knew nothing about the bomb, and was simply going downtown with Hirsch. Both were held in $10,000 bail each for the Grand Jury.

The police record of the prisoners describes them as follows:

Wolf Hirsch, 28 years old, of 248 East 113th Street, an assistant chemist in the Harriman research laboratory of Roosevelt Hospital, a former Secret Service officer of the German Government, and reserve petty officer in the submarine division of the German Navy.

George Meyringer, 42 years old, kitchenman in Roosevelt Hospital, in reality an expert telegrapher and a close student of finance.

The police explain they got on the trail of the men as a result of Meyringer bragging to acquaintances in a Wall Street office of his ability to tap wires. Clerks in this office overheard him and notified the police several weeks ago. Since then detectives of Captain Tunney's bomb squad have never lost sight of him, and by following him met Hirsch and maintained a complete surveillance over both.

According to Captain Tunney each detective assigned to watch the men had orders to shoot them if necessary. So close was the surveillance that detectives were hidden in the laboratory when Hirsch placed several chemicals in a cup and saw him set fire to a part of the mixture causing it to explode, whereupon Hirsch, the detectives say, did not attempt to conceal his pleasure.

Meyringer and Hirsch, the police state, made several visits to Wall Street and closely inspected the Morgan bank and other Wall Street houses. The plan was to wait for a rainy night, and with the bomb hidden in an umbrella to go to Wall and Broad Street and attempt to place the bomb in a seldom used door, which the men had found was not so closely guarded as some other entrances to the bank. When the private guards were not looking a time fuse was to have been set, the bomb placed, after which the men would disappear. They would have been far uptown when the bomb exploded.

The work of destruction completed, the two men, according to the police, confessed they intended to leave the city the following morning, and while the newspapers were fresh with the news of the explosion they would tap a main line telegraph wire outside the city, and Meyringer would send in a bulletin of extensive submarine depredations on the Atlantic Coast. This would be followed by another bulletin telling of the assassination of a high public official. The trunk line wires would then be cut and at the same time a confederate, it is believed by the police, would cut the wires from Chicago to New York and thus delay communication between the principal cities of the country.

According to Hirsch and Meyringer this would suffice for their brokers to buy on the tumbling market, and they would make a clean-up. Detectives have reported that Meyringer almost daily examined telegraph and light conduits in different parts of the city and evinced considerable interest in their location. The police said that Hirsch told them he had "pulled off some stunts in Petrograd and London."

In court yesterday afternoon Hirsch did not deny the story as told by the police. Meyringer, however, steadfastly refused to admit that he had been concerned in any plot with Hirsch or anybody else.

LISTING THE GLOATERS.

Secret Service Takes Note of Those Who Find Joy in German Success.

It became known yesterday that Federal agents were compiling a new census—the "gloaters," or those whose sympathies are more Teutonic than American, and who at times seem to forget that Germany is the enemy of the United States, and gloat over the sinking of merchantmen by German submarines and reported German successes in the battle zones of Europe. The Secret Service has received since the declaration of war hundreds of complaints by American citizens against aliens and foreign-born citizens who are charged with openly expressing themselves in sympathy with Germany, in some instances even going so far as to "gloat" over the sinking of American ships by German submarines.

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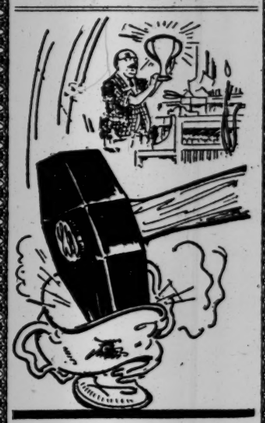

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Jessup Testified District Attorney Wouldn't "Meet an Honest Issue."

REJECTED IMMUNITY OFFER

Markewich, He Swore, Told Him If 'Anything Happened' Before Grand Jury He Would Be All Right.

Henry G. Jessup, dark, slender, and very youthful in appearance despite his ten years on the police force, took the witness stand yesterday afternoon before Commissioner George L. Ingraham, and, with a satisfaction which he seemed at no pains to conceal, addressed himself to District Attorney Edward Swann. Although officially giving testimony before Governor Whitman's commissioner appointed to hear the charges of ex-Judge James A. Deiehanty and Lucian S. Breckinridge that Mr. Swann permitted political exigency to govern his official acts, the young policeman seemed to relish his opportunity as one affording him the chance to say to the District Attorney's face what previously he had been compelled to transmit through the mediumship of Assistant District Attorney Samuel Markewich.

With Detective Clinton Wood and several others, among them Detective Snydecker, Jessup, a dedective at Police Headquarters, had been assigned in 1915 to the so-called industrial investigation squad, which had for a task the study of conditions in the cloak making trade, conditions that had culminated in numerous assaults and the murder of Hyman Liebowitz in December, 1914, and out of which had developed the cases against labor leaders which Mr. Swann is accused of having quashed for the sake of political influence.

"Mr. Markewich told me: 'I want to put you before the Grand Jury in the Breckinridge case. We've got it on Breckinridge. Snydecker took that grafter, Al Wilson, over to Division Street and introduced him around, and this fellow's been collecting graft ever since. That —— Breckinridge has been collecting thousands of dollars. We've got it on Wood and Snydesker, too. They've been pulling the wool over your eyes. You're a good fellow. You're all right. We know that, but they've been fooling you. Now you see you are going before the Grand Jury, and if anything happens after that you'll be all right. Nothing can happen to you. You'll have immunity.'"

Jessup said he was indignant at the suggestion and told Markewich he didn't need immunity and wouldn't have it. He continued:

"I told Mr. Markewich that I would go into the Grand Jury room, but I would tell them that anything I said was said with the distinct understanding that immunity was waived. I wouldn't have anything to do with that. Well, I went to the Grand Jury room door and stood there for several hours waiting to be called, but I wasn't called, and at last District Attorney Swann came along and said he wanted to see me and Snydecker."

Jessup glanced toward Mr. Swann as he spoke and kept his eyes on the District Attorney, who sat, in the midst of counsel, only a few feet from the witness stand. He told of Swann inviting Snydecker into his private office, saying he had heard the detective believed the District Attorney had treated him unfairly, and presently, Jessup said, he himself was summoned before Mr. Swann. The District Attorney told him, Jessup said, that he wanted the detective to "get" Al Wilson for him. Jessup testified that Mr. Swann said:

"'I want you to do this for me. I want you to get the assignment to this office. I will fix that for you, and then I want you to 'get' Wilson. You know he is a notorious crook.'"

Jessup said he replied that he didn't know anything about Wilson, but was willing to "get" him if Mr. Swann had the evidence, and this the District Attorney assured the detective he possessed. As this conversation concluded Jessup said he showed Mr. Swann a morning newspaper, in which was a statement by the District Attorney associating two detectives with Breckinridge in a general condemnation. Jessup testified:

"'I showed this to Mr. Swann, and he said: 'Why, that doesn't mean you. There are 11,000 policemen in the department.' I replied: 'Yes, but only two of them, Wood and I, were assigned to help Mr. Breckinridge.' 'Well, I didn't mean you,' Mr. Swann went on. 'I'll retract it.' I told him a letter of retraction wouldn't be fair compared to the publicity this charge had had, and finally he became impatient and went off, shutting the door on me and saying: 'I've got 500 things on my mind and I haven't time to talk to you.'

"I went outside, where I met Mr. Markewich, and he told me I mustn't mind what Mr. Swann said, that he was very much excited and hadn't meant what he said. I told him I did mind, however, and presently he asked: 'Well, what are you going to do about it?' I told him: (and it was here Jessup gazed directly at Mr. Swann) 'You can tell him that I won't take an assignment to his office, that I won't take an assignment to work with any man who won't meet an honest issue, and he has evaded this.'"

Jessup had begun to tell about the so-called "kidnapping" of Wilson, which was followed presently by his transfer of allegiance to the District Attorney, but was stopped when Commissioner Ingraham adjourned until this morning. Besides Jessup other witnesses were of the sort who had testified on the previous days and who were brought forward by Mr. Mellen to show that Markewich and Eder had employed threats and promises of money to persuade the witnesses to give perjured testimony.

POINCARE SENDS THANKS.

Acknowledges "France Day" Message of French Institute Here.

The French Institute in the United States, comprising the newly created section of Alsace-Lorraine, sent on "France Day" to President Poincaré the following cablegram:

The French Institute of the United States with the section of Les Amis de l'Alsace-Lorraine, expresses to President Poincare, the illustrious representative of Lafayette and Rochambeau's country, its profound joy at the indissoluble union of the two nations with the hope that absolute victory will liberate the two noble provinces which were torn from France.

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To this cable Ambassador Jusserand answered in the name of the President of France, under date of April 29, as follows:

Hon. Macdougall Hawkes, President French Institute, 599 Fifth Avenue, New York.

Mr. President: My Government informs me that as President of the French Institute and in the name of the section of Les Amis de l'Alsace-Lorraine you have been kind enough to telegraph to the President of the Republic expressions of your joy and of the members of your association for the indissoluble union of the two nations and the certain liberation of the provinces ravished from France.

I have, therefore, the honor, according to the instructions which I have received, to express the thanks of Mr. Raymond Poincare for this message which has profoundly impressed him.

Receive, Mr. President, the assurances of my distinguished consideration.

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LONDON HONORS GEN. SMUTS

United States Is Fighting for Universal Liberty, He Says.

LONDON, May 1.—Lieut. Gen. Jan Smuts, who was relieved of the command of the British forces operating against the Germans in German East Africa to attend the Imperial Conference here, received the freedom of the City of London today. General Smuts said:

"The United States entered the struggle because, like us, she recognized that universal liberty was at stake. Our ideal is to be free to build up our country under warm skies. We can not do that while the terrorism of militarism overshadows us.

"The end of the struggle is coming near, there is no doubt of that. There are difficult, anxious and dangerous weeks ahead, which will apply as severe a test to the spirit of the Allied nations as ever has been applied, but I have learned the spirit of our armies and know that it is magnificent in its confidence to carry the struggle through to a victorious end."

According to the Central News, a high military command will be offered to General Smuts and it is expected he will accept it.

MOHANSIC BILLS KILLED.

Senate Favors the Plan for a Legislative Investigation.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, May 1.—Despite the fact that Governor Whitman in a message to the Legislature had urged their enactment, the Senate today after short debate killed all the bills introduced by Senator Robert F. Wagner, leader of the Democratic minority, for the protection of the Croton watershed from pollution.

The bills included one measure providing for the abandonment of the Mohansic State Hospital for the Insane, and another for the abandonment of the Yorktown Heights Training School for Boys, while embodied in the third was a general prohibition against the establishment of any curative or correctional institution under state auspices in the Croton watershed.

After defeating the Wagner bills the Senate, by a vote of 29 to 11, adopted the Hopkins resolution providing for an investigation by a legislative committee of the entire question involved in the proposal to abandon the institutions.

New Law Forbids Silencers.

ALBANY, May 1.—The possession of a firearms silencer renders the owner liable to five years' imprisonment under the terms of an act signed by Governor Whitman today. The measure, which was introduced in the Legislature by Assemblyman John G. Malone of Albany, makes exceptions in the cases of military and police officials.

MAY DAY STRIKES FEW IN THIS COUNTRY

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accepted for the army, 13 for the navy, and 11 in the Marine Corps.

About 7,000 workmen in Toledo factories received an increase in wages.

In Albany about 3,000 union men went on a strike, hampering construction work temporarily. In Pittsburgh the minor strikes involved 4,000 carpenters, 300 plumbers' laborers, and 200 hoisting engineers, who asked for increased wages. Two thousand members of the United Mine Workers of America went on strike at Grafton, W. Va., for an eight-hour day and a readjustment of the mining rate, which had been refused by the operators.

In Rock Island, Ill., 600 carpenters struck when a demand for increased pay was refused. Another 900 carpenters struck in Milwaukee, demanding $4.50 a day, an increase of 50 cents. A number of the Jewish bakers went out also. About 500 bakers struck for higher wages in the foreign districts of Philadelphia.

MAY DAY PLANS CUT HERE.

Union Square Meeting Fails, but Small Gatherings Are Held.

The cold drizzle yesterday extinguished much of the flame of Socialistic ardor expected to blaze up in New York. The Socialist Party had decided not to hold its annual parade, but a big mass meeting was to have been held in Union Square, as well as smaller gatherings at night in assembly halls in different parts of the city. Most of the minor meetings were held as planned, but the weather was too much for the big demonstration.

When Algernoon Lee, Director of the Rand School of Social Science, who was to be Chairman of the Union Square meeting, reached the scene at 2 o'clock, the hour set for the beginning of the exercises he found two or three hundred faithful but very wet Socialists wearing sashes lettered in red: "Workers of the World, Unite!" But it looked too wet for a meeting; some of the other speakers were not on hand; so the gathering dispersed after Mr. Lee had made a short speech appealing for support of the revolutionary movements in Russia and Germany, and decrying defection from the Socialist Party here.

Ukrainian Socialists met at night at Arlington Hall, 23 St. Mark's Place, and the Finnish branch of the party at its headquarters, 1,041 Madison Avenue. In the Bronx there was a gathering at Niblo's Garden, 170th Street and Third Avenue, with speeches in English, German, and Jewish. The German groups of Harlem met at the Harlem River Casino, Second Avenue and 127th Street, and listened to addresses in those three languages and Hungarian; and at the Kings Labor Lyceum in Brooklyn, the members of the party in Long Island boroughs were addressed by Assemblymen Shiplacoff and Whitehorn and other speakers. Twelve hundred members of the Socialist Labor Party held a meeting at the Parkway Palace, Fifth Avenue and 110th Street.

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Rich and Poor Will Contribute as Evidence of Their Support of the New Democracy.

CALLED 'LOAN FOR FREEDOM'

Petrograd Committee Appeals for Aid Through the State Department at Washington.

A body of prominent Jews, including Jacob H. Schiff, Louis Marshall, and Oscar S. Straus, will form a committee in this city within a few days to organize and solicit Jewish support for a substantial loan to the new Russian Government. Contributions to the loan will be sought from all Jews, poor as well as rich, one of the objects of the movement being to indicate to the leaders of the new Russia that, for the first time in history, a Russian Government has the full-hearted support and sympathy of American Jewry.

The campaign is to be undertaken in response to a message which a Petrograd committee representing the Jews in Russia sent through the State Department to Jews in the United States, stating that the Jews of Russia were confidently supporting a "new public loan for freedom," which has been issued by the Provisional Government, and asking Jews here to lend their aid.

Acting on this suggestion, Louis Marshall had an informal consultation with Mr. Schiff yesterday, and it was decided that as soon as the State Department had transmitted to them the official text of the message they would proceed at once to organize a committee for the raising of the loan. Mr. Marshall believed that the Jews of America would be only to eager to contribute.

"We will hold a meeting in a few days," said Mr. Marshall, "to appoint a committee with a view of getting support for this Russian loan. We will issue a call to those who desire to participate, and we have no doubt that the call will meet with most enthusiastic response. It is a very proper thing to do. There is no reason any longer to question the sincerity of the Jews of America in their support of the new Russian Government. I have never seen such a satisfactory condition among the Jews, such a unanimous feeling of sympathy and admiration as they now manifest toward the Russian democracy. A very substantial sum will be raised by the Jews in this country. It will be a popular loan, not confined to a few, but the poorest will be invited to contribute as well as the richest."

Mr. Marshall said he had received assurances that the Jews of the Ghetto would not fall in their support of the movement. He made the point, however, that the size of the contributions would necessarily be affected by the fact that the American Jews were more or less concentrated at the present time on the raising of the $10,000,000 Jewish relief fund.

In speaking of the loan Mr. Straus said:

"Whatever our Government or people can do to support and strengthen the present free Government in Russia will be of the greatest service not only to Russia, but to her ally, America, and the other Allies. While I am not a financier, I have no doubt that the Russian loan will be supported sympathetically in this country. 'Enlightened self-interest' and sympathy for democratic Russia prompt the fullest co-operation on the part of America with the democracy of Russia."

WANTS A JEWISH NATION.

Press Bureau at The Hague Inquires as to America's Attitude.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Secretary of State Lansing has received a cablegram from the Joodsch Correspondentie Bureau at the Hague, asserting that it has been established by Jewish intellectuals for the purpose of keeping the press of the world informed regarding the Jewish situation and asking the attitude of the United States Government toward the national renascence of the Jewish people. The message to Mr. Lansing read as follows:

"Among the peoples which expect this war to bring their national renascence are also the Jewish people. The liberation of small nations, which, as stated by your Government, is the aim of the present war, gives the Jewish people a hope that their yearning for freedom in all countries, national freedom and autonomous development in Palestine will be understood.

"Yet the Jewish people have not yet been mentioned by name anywhere, either in the official declarations or in the latest notes, and no great power has made its position known as to the Jewish claims, the claims of a people scattered over the world and having no legal representatives to speak in its name to the Government. The undersigned bureau, set up by Jewish intellectuals to the end of keeping the world press informed of the present Jewish situation and the Jewish movement, trained on the peace conference, taking the liberty of respectfully addressing you in quest of your opinion and attitude toward those yearnings, anxiously awaits its being enabled to forward to the Jewish people, anguished at their future, a message conformable to the principles of right and justice."

FOR A WEST SIDE INQUIRY.

Senate Passes Commission Measure and Also the Ottinger Bill.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, May 1.—By a vote of 46 to 3 the Senate today passed the revised Ottinger bill in relation to the proposed contract between New York City and the New York Central Railroad for the west side improvement. On a "rapid" roll call the Senate then passed the Green bill, which had already been passed by the Assembly, which provides for an investigation of the contract and the entire situation involved in the west side project of the New York Central by a commission composed of seven members, five to be named by the Governor and one each by the President pro tem. of the Senate and the Speaker of the Assembly.

As far as the Senate is concerned this means the end of perhaps the stormiest chapter in the history of the present session. The two bills were passed in pursuance of an agreement reached in conference between the Republican leaders of the Senate and representatives of contending factions holding divergent views on the question of the west side contract.

The Ottinger bill, which has been before the Legislature since the opening day of the session, in its present form provides that an agreement must be reached prior to Dec. 1 or the tracks of the New York Central on the west side may be ordered removed from grade by the Public Service Commission for the First District, the railroad to shoulder the entire expense.

Under the existing law the Board of Estimate has sole power to represent the city in the negotiations. Under the Ottinger bill as amended and passed today in the Senate concurrent jurisdiction is given to the Board of Estimate and the Public Service Commission, no agreement being valid in which both these bodies have not acquiesced. The bill also prohibits the granting of any west side franchise to the New York Central for a period exceeding fifty years, or the giving in fee of any lands under water, and provides for readjustment of terms under which any franchise is granted at intervals of twenty-five years.

The commission created under the Green bill is intended to be one of experts, who are to be paid for their services at the rate of $50 a day.

SIGNS THE PENSION BILL.

Governor Approves Measure Affecting New York City Teachers.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, May 1.—Governor Whitman today signed the Lockwood-Ellenbogen bill providing for the renabilitation of the teachers' pension fund in New York City. The Governor said that he felt that some sort of relief was imperative for the fund.

"This bill now before me," said Governor Whitman, "was framed by the Mayor's Commission on Pensions, and has been approved by the Mayor of the City of New York. It was unanimously approved by the Board of Education. It is constructed on a sound actuarial basis, approved by life insurance actuaries and by the Superintendent of Insurance of the State. It is based on a system of equal contributions by the city and by the employes, which is generally recognized the world over as equitable to both interests."

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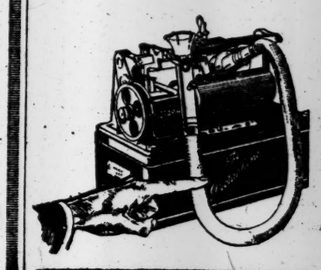

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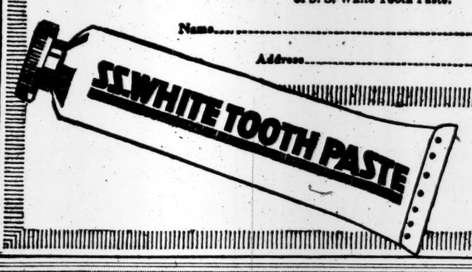

April Gain

In April The New York Times published 1,175,021 lines of advertisements, a gain of 62,802 lines over April, 1916, and, deducting help and situation wanted advertisements, a greater volume than any other New York newspaper.

In four months of 1917 The Times has published 4,053,292 lines of advertisements, a gain of 349,331 lines. This includes a greater volume of display advertising than any other New York newspaper.

Average circulation, daily and Sunday, exceeds 340,000 copies.

INSURANCE COMPANY FACES FRAUD CHARGE

Injunction Against Pittsburgh Life and Trust Sought in Receivership Suit.

$1,900,000 DEALS ASSAILED

Warrants Out for New York Men —Sale of Realty Here to Dummies Is Alleged.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSBURGH, Penn., May 1.—State Insurance Commissioner O'Neil tonight asked Judge Shafer to issue an injunction to prevent the Pittsburgh Life and Trust Company from doing business until a hearing on Monday as to why a receiver should not be appointed. Mr. O'Neil charges that several New Yorkers have misused $1,900,000 of the company's funds in some transactions involving New York property and has sworn out warrants for their arrest.

James H. Mahan, Secretary-Treasurer, refused to discuss the case tonight. The Directors compose men high in financial circles of this city. The company was organized in 1902 and began business Jan. 1, 1903. It has about 20,000 policyholders in Pennsylvania. The Directors are:

E. F. Acheson, W. W. Blackburn, W. I. Berryman, James Carothers, James J. Donnell, Earl O. Dunlap, Robert Garland, (President of the Chamber of Commerce,) V. Q. Hickman, G. W. Johnson, Fred W. Kiefer, James H. Mahan, John H. Murdoch, W. Howard Nimick, W. H. Self, F. C. Parsons, and Howard S. Sutphen.

Charges Astounding Frauds.

Jesse S. Phillips, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of New York, announced last night that the Pittsburgh Life and Trust Company, a $24,000,000 life insurance company, had caused receivership proceedings as a result of financial transactions of a most astonishing character never before equaled in life insurance history.

These transactions, he said, included the use of the company's own funds to the extent of more than $1,000,000 to purchase its own stock, the sale of the company's real estate in this city to dummies, and the loading of the assets with securities of doubtful value, which were substituted for some securities to the extent of several million dollars. They are alleged to include an issue of $6,000,000 bonds on timber lands just acquired for $1,000,000, and the loading of the company with these bonds.

Investigation into the affairs of the company was started by a notice in the newspapers of an announcement that the Pittsburgh Life and Trust Company had conveyed the Washington Life Building, at 145 Broadway. Supt. Phillips communicated with the Commissioner of Pennsylvania and was advised that he had received no notice of any contemplated transfer. Mr. Phillips meantime received a telephone message from Clarence F. Birdseye, who advised him that good assets of the company had been exchanged for bonds of a lumber company.

Subsequent investigations, according to Mr. Phillips's announcement last night, showed that prior to March 28 the Dare Lumber Company and the East Lake Lumber Company, corporations organized under New York laws, owned and were operating a lumber property in North Carolina, and George F. Montgomery, a promoter, entered into negotiations for them, which resulted in an agreement by Montgomery to purchase the property for $1,000,000. No deposit appears to have been made.

Deal for Stock Purchase.

At about this time, according to Mr. Phillips's statement, Montgomery began negotiations with Birdseye, a New York lawyer, who at about the same time proposed to the President and Vice President of the Pittsburgh Life and Trust Company to purchase the majority stock of the company at $80 a share, a high price. It is alleged an agreement was entered into with the then Directors controlling a majority of the stock, which in substance provided that on the deposit, with the Keystone National Bank of Pittsburgh of $10 a share on account of the purchase, amounting to $120,000, the Directors agreed to resign and turn over the immediate control of the company, with its $24,000,000 of assets, protecting $115,000,000 of outstanding insurance, to a Board of Directors to be named by Birdseye.

On March 28, according to Mr. Phillips, Birdseye negotiated a loan for $120,000 with the Commercial Trust Company of New York upon his note or notes and bearing the indorsement of Montgomery.

It further appears, the Phillips statement says, that a few days previous to March 28 Kellogg Birdseye, son of Clarence E., approached several intimate friends and requested them to go to Pittsburgh to assist in the reorganization of a corporation and to act temporarily as Directors. When the meeting of the old Directors of the Pittsburgh Life and Trust Company was held the next day, it was found that Birdseye had brought an insufficient number of dummy Directors, and a Pittsburgh law firm was called in to supply five young men. An officer of the Commercial Trust Company of New York met with the old Directors and certified two checks amounting to $120,000. The sale of the stock having been consummated, Birdseye, it is alleged, took control of the company, the Directors resigning, and each being replaced by a dummy.

Process Server as Dummy.

The new Board of Directors selected officers and immediately adopted resolutions authorizing the transfer of the Washington Life Insurance Building in New York to Thomas A. Crawford for $3,900,000 par value of the bonds of the Dare Lumber Company. Superintendent Phillips, who examined Crawford yesterday, said that the latter was merely a process server.

The new Directors, according to Mr. Phillips, also authorized a loan to Crawford of $3,000,000, secured by a mortgage on the building. The funds were to be advanced to Crawford, $1,900,000 in cash, $200,000 by a credit on his purchase of another building, and $900,000 in bonds of the Dare Lumber Company. In order to place the company in funds, it is alleged, the Directors authorized the sale of certain high-class securities.

Mr. Phillips states that when Birdseye and his associates returned to New York on March 30 they took from safe deposit vaults approximately $1,500,000 of the high-grade securities owned by the insurance company and delivered them to Spencer Trask & Co. for immediate sale. This banking firm sold part of the securities, and the proceeds, about $1,000,000, were deposited to the credit of the insurance company in the Commercial Trust Company. Immediately after the deposit a check for $1,300,000 was drawn to the order of Thomas A. Crawford, which was turned over to Birdseye, who indorsed it and deposited it to his own personal account. It is alleged Birdseye then drew checks on his account in sums aggregating $1,000,000 for payment to the owners of the Dare Lumber Company and East Lake Lumber Company properties, and another check for $100,000 to the order of George F. Montgomery.

Subsequently Spencer Trask & Co. made further advances of about $800,000 on securities which had been placed in their hands, and the money is said to have been used in the same way. Mr. Phillips's investigations showed that Birdseye acquired bonds of the lumber company of the par value of $3,000,000 for $1,100,000.

The statement issued by the Superintendent continues in part as follows:

Advocates Legal Action.

"It is hardly conceivable that the old Directors of the life insurance company, having charge of millions of trust funds, would have turned over to strangers, none of whom had a dollar invested in the capital stock, the control and management of the company. These old Directors are men of high financial responsibility, and it is my opinion that a cause of action exists against them to compel a restitution of the assets of the company which have been wrongfully dissipated.

"I propose immediately to present to the District Attorney of New York County the facts and depositions obtained in my investigation, and co-operate with him in any efforts he may make to punish those responsible, with respect to acts which took place in this county.

"George A. Nichol, Jr., a friend of the Birdseyes, and one of those selected by them to act as Director and Vice President of the reorganized company, said in substance that the assurance of a personal friend was sufficient justification for him to dispose of trust funds of a life insurance corporation without any further inquiry or investigation. The other dummy Directors who have testified before me are William D. MacQuesten, Elmer S. Keay, and Alfred Luery."

BILLY SUNDAY SAYS 'LET ROOSEVELT GO!'

Revivalist Would Like to Go to France "if Just to Black His Boots."

WARNS AGAINST CENSORSHIP

"Oh, Washington!" He Shouts, "Don't Make the Mistakes They Made in Germany and England."

Billy Sunday struck a responsive chord in the hearts of his 12,000 hearers at the tabernacle last night when he expressed the hope that Theodore Roosevelt would be given the opportunity to head an army of American troops in the fighting in Europe. All the prophets had carried "big sticks," said Sunday in a sermon that was full of militant and patriotic utterances, and there was no reason why Roosevelt, one of the most prominent exponents of the big stick, should not be given the opportunity he sought to serve his country.

"They say Roosevelt wants to take an army to Europe," the revivalist shouted, adopting one of his favorite fighting poses. "I say let him do it. I'd like nothing better than to go along with him, if it was just to black his boots."

This caught the fancy of the crowd, which responded with an emotional outburst which was noteworthy even for a Sunday audience. Several hundred of those in the big auditorium were laundry workers who had brought flags with them, and they waved these frantically. The cheering lasted for several minutes, many of the ministers in the reservation at the right of the pulpit joining in it. Dr. Lyman Abbott, formerly the editor of Outlook, occupied a seat just in front of this reservation, and smiled and nodded his head while the demonstration was going on. Sunday scored another hit a few minutes later when he warned Congress not to repeat the mistakes of Germany and England by attempting to restrict the freedom of the press.

"Oh, Washington," he cried, throwing back his head and shouting at the top of his voice, "don't try to fetter the press of this country and make the mistakes they have made in Germany and England. Americans must know where they are going. Don't try to keep us from knowing what we are doing and we will go with you to the last ditch."

Earlier in the day he had made a statement along similar lines to the reporters in which he asserted that Americans, of all people, were entitled to all the information possible on the progress of the war, although he did not believe in publishing anything that "would give a tip to the enemy."

"We want to whip those fellows and do it right, and we don't want to let anything get out that might give them an advantage," he said. "Not only do I believe that legitimate news should not be suppressed, but I also believe that if the American people had been fully informed of the situation, exactly as it is, many more of them would have volunteered and would have come forward to help the nation in the war."

The rain kept many persons from attending the services yesterday and the crowds both in the afternoon and at night were smaller than they have been since he began his revival campaign in this city. Only 2,500 heard the afternoon sermon, and of those 207 "hit the trail" by going forward and shaking him by the hand. About 12,000, which is 8,000 less than the tabernacle will hold, attended the service at night, and of these 820 "hit the trail."

Sunday began his sermon at night by asking the crowd to rise and sing the "Star-Spangled Banner." Then, before telling the story of Ahab and Jehoshaphat as an illustration of the need of militancy in religion and everyday life, he reminded his audience that last night was the anniversary of Dewey's entrance into Manila Bay during the Spanish-American war.

"There is hope in a country which teaches its children to salute the flag," he said. "I'd like to see the flag flying from the window of every home, and over every school house, as well as to see a Bible on every teacher's desk."

He said that men who would not fight were of no value either to their church or their country. And a man who had no temper was a man without force of character. Sunday said that although the "world was bathed in blood" and the wounded from the trenches "filled many lands," the present was a turning point in history, and those who are living are passing through "the brightest and most precious hours" of their existence.

"Many prophecies are coming true," he said. "The Jews are going back to Palestine and are to have a nation of their own for the first time since the days of the sweet singer of Israel." In developing his text, which was from Second Chronicles xvii., 13: "As the Lord liveith, even what my God sayeth, that will I speak," Sunday touched on some of the criticisms of his methods of preaching. He said he was willing to go before a jury of New Yorkers equipped with Bibles and stand trial as to whether he was preaching anything but the word of God.

LABOR CRITICISES SUNDAY.

Leaders Tell Him Workers Object to J. D. Rockefeller, Jr., in Movement.

Carl Beck, managing director of the Labor Forum, accompanied by James J. Bagley, a labor union official, had an interview with Billy Sunday yesterday morning. Beck told him that laboring people didn't like the look of a movement where John D. Rockefeller, Jr., was one of the leaders, and asked why he didn't attack what the Labor Forum regards as the wrongs of the downtrodden laboring classes with the same vigor that he applies to denunciations of the liquor traffic. Mr. Sunday said that the Christian religion was the common ground on which labor and capital could meet, and that acceptance of the teachings of Jesus would solve all social problems.

Mr. Beck asked him if he thought $10 a week was a living wage, and Mr. Sunday said he didn't. Each man said later that the conference had been conducted amicably, and that the two had parted with entire friendliness, but neither seemed to think much had been accomplished. A statement issued by the Labor Forum as to what Mr. Beck had said to Mr. Sunday contained the following:

"When facts prove that 'the heaven of the rich is built on the hell of the poor,' and you still permit Rockefeller to beto be conspicuous at the opening of your tabernacle and to sit on your Board of Directors, you invite an ethical revolt in the minds of hundreds of thousands of working people to whom 'Remember Ludlow' is as deep and terrible an appeal as was 'Remember the Maine.' If your tabernacle were turned into a public forum, the working people would tell you that the House of Rockefeller, which has served Mammon more than God, is in the same class with the House of Romanoff in Russia.

"The Great Teacher took a whip of cords and lashed the money changers out of the Temple, while you have asked a representative of the most conspicuous House of Mammon in the world to sit on the platform with you, and have not accorded equal recognition to the plain people whom Christ conspicuously honored when he selected fishermen and humble workers to be His spokesmen and closest associates. That goes far to nullify all the good you do."

AGREEMENT ON PRISONERS.

France and Germany to Keep Them 18 Miles Behind the Front.

LONDON, May 1.—A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram Company from Amsterdam says official advices received from Berlin are to the effect that the French and German Governments have agreed to withdraw prisoners to thirty kilometers (18.64 miles) behind the front.

The announcement adds that the new order would begin today.

TO ELECT H. L. BRIDGMAN.

Republicans Nominate Him as Regent to Succeed Berri.

ALBANY, May 1.—Herbert L. Bridgman, business manager of The Brooklyn Standard Union, and an Arctic traveler and geographer, was nominated by the Legislature today as a member of the State Board of Regents, to succeed the late William Berri of Brooklyn. The term will expire in 1929. He will be elected by a joint session of the Legislature tomorrow.

Mr. Bridgman was supported by the Republican members, Egerton L. Winthrop, Jr., former President of the New York City Board of Education, received the ballots of the Democrats, and the two Socialist members of the Assembly voted for Mrs. Bertha Howe Mailley.

WANTS FRENCH TOLD TRUTH

Deputy Denounces Colleagues Who Curry Favor at Home.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, May 1.—Fernand Engerand, a Deputy, under the heading, "In order to please," sharply reprimands his parliamentary colleagues in the Echo de Paris for continuing the dangerous habit of trying to please their electors at all costs. This currying favor with electors, affirms the writer, has been the cause of countless disasters for French politics, and he demands that henceforth French politicians emulate the example of Lloyd George by fearless expositions of the truth. Hard times are ahead, he says, and the nation is able and willing to bear its share of the privations, but only on condition that the system of false illusions be put aside.

STUDENT CENSUS WORKERS.

Princeton Men to Help on Agricultural Labor Figures.

Special to The New York Times.

PRINCETON, N. J., May 1.—Princeton students will act as enumerators in a census ordered by Governor Walter E. Edge to ascertain how many men now employed elsewhere are available to work on farms during the planting and harvesting seasons. The students, in conjunction with the Boards of Trade, will canvass practically all workers in the State.

The authorities, in urging farmers to plant unusually large crops, have got the reply that farmers cannot afford the risk unless assured of harvest labor.

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Cleveland Boxer Has Goodly Margin on English Pugilist in Every Way Save on Defense.

Freddie Welsh of England, lightweight champion of the world, was forced to bow to the superior ability of Johnny Kilbane, the Cleveland boxer, possessor of the featherweight championship title, in their ten-round bout last night at the Manhattan Athletic Club, 155th Street and Eighth Avenue.

In point of scientific boxing the contest reached the high level that was expected, for that it was a bout between the two cleverest of the lighter boxers in the ring today was evident from start to finish. In the matter of heavy hitting and reckless aggressiveness, however, the contest fell far short of its potential interest, and there were many times when the huge throng of spectators, occupying every available nook of the spacious clubhouse—and some that were not available—yelled for the boxers to put more action into their efforts.

Kilbane earned the honors in every round of the ten sessions, with the exception of the first and third rounds, in which Welsh, keeping his rival always at close quarters, worked in effective manner with both hands to the body. The weights, as announced before the bout, favored Welsh, who weighed 139 pounds, by a matter of nine pounds.

The contest can be summed up briefly in a sentence thus: Kilbane outclassed his opponent in every department of boxing in which Welsh is supposed to be almost peerless except on the defense. The Cleveland boxer displayed a brand of speed and cleverness, coupled with an ability to deliver his blows in lightning-like fashion, that completely astounded the spectators and bewildered Welsh himself.

Kilbane Grins at Swings.

There were times during the bout when Kilbane just contented himself with stepping nimbly in and out of his rival's range and coming up unexpectedly under Welsh's swinging arms to rest contentedly on the Englishman's shoulder and there grin broadly at the lightweight champion's futile efforts to hit him.

Kilbane showed on frequent occasions, however, that, when the whim seized him, he was capable of driving his opponent before him with a succession of heavy blows to the face and stomach, mostly to the face, and his flurries in this direction, which were few for the greater part of the bout, made the crowd yell wildly in his honor.

The featherweight champion, smiling broadly throughout, took particular pleasure, however, in showing off his cleverness to the crowded house, and each time he made Welsh miss he laughed heartily. In fact, Kilbane seemed to be losing valuable time in indulging his mirth, for there were several occasions when openings to shoot home a heavy blow to the face or body went unnoticed by him.

When he was not engaged in ably ducking and sidestepping Welsh's almost frantic efforts to land on him, the Cleveland boxer was giving his utmost attention to showing the spectators just how he could tie up the lightweight champion in knots of his own making and then counter cleverly and effectively. Especially in the latter rounds did Kilbane unleash his prowess to outbox and outspeed the lightweight championship title holder, and there were times when the efforts of Welsh to land seemed ludicrous to those about the ringside who had seen him perform against less experienced and clever boxers than Kilbane.

Knockout Blow Never in Sight.

At no stage of the match, though, could it be said that either man was in dire need of medical attention. The possibility of a knockout blow ending a bout in a local ring was never more remote than last night. Welsh, true to his ring traditions, clung to the crouching style of fighting, and presented a superb defense that at times baffled even the wily attempts of Kilbane.

In the first and third sessions Welsh, with his ability at close quarters, carried off the honors. He drew Kilbane into close contact, and while there counted for points with light blows to the stomach. Kilbane, during these two rounds, did little but look to the referee to break him away from Welsh, who kept laboring away with both arms while Kilbane vainly tried to ward off the blows or block them.

In the second session Kilbane for a moment unloosened his heavy hitting powers and landed with left hooks and a right cross to the side of the head on Welsh. These blows had the effect of making the lightweight champion wary for a space, but he was soon at close quarters again trying to land with blows to the stomach.

From the fourth session to the finish Kilbane gave frequent flashes of his ability and gained the honors of the remainder of the bout. In this round Kilbane landed effectively to the face and jaw with a hard right several times and danced away from his rival without receiving a return. At times he made it appear as if Welsh were his pupil at boxing.

Near the bell in the fifth session Kilbane shook up Welsh with three hard overhand rights to the jaw, and in the sixth round he had the Englishman's head continually bobbing on the end of a right-hand uppercut in close, bothering Welsh considerably with an extended left jab and shaking him with solid lefts and rights to the jaw.

In the seventh and eighth rounds Kilbane was always on top of Welsh and had the latter in a quandary. He dazzled Welsh with his speed and the latter seemed spellbound, so much so, in fact, that the featherweight champion crossed his right and hooked his left in quick succession on several occasions without the least difficulty.

The same was true of the ninth round, and the closing session, the boxers being locked together when the final bell ended the bout. Neither bore a scratch for their labors, although Welsh's lips bled slightly from Kilbane's right cross and left hooks.

SLATER BILL IN MORGUE.

Anti-Boxing Measure Is Once More Given Quietus.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 1.—A last attempt to revive the Slater bill to repeal the present law under which boxing is conducted in New York was made in the Senate today in response to urgent appeals from Governor Whitman, who is as determined as ever that the Frawley law be stricken from the statute books. The measure was received by the upper house amid a storm of objections and finally interred in the Senate morgue, the Committee of the Whole.

Senator J. Henry Walters, Chairman of the Judiciary Committee, reported the bill favorably from his committee and urged its immediate advancement to the order of final passage. After the objections which arose from every part of the Senate Chamber had died away, Senator Thomas H. Cullen of Kings, Democrat, arose and declared that he did not think Senator Walters was serious when he brought out the measure.

"I can hardly believe," he said, "that this is meant to be anything more than an opportunity for the friends of this bill to view the remains for the last time."

BASEBALL

Yesterday's Results.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago, 9; St. Louis, 0.

Brooklyn at New York. (Postponed; wet grounds.)

Boston at Philadelphia. (Postponed; wet grounds.)

Pittsburgh at Cincinnati. (Postponed; wet grounds.)

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington, 3; New York, 2.

Philadelphia at Boston. (Postponed; rain.)

Detroit at Chicago. Postponed; rain.)

St. Louis at Cleveland. (Postponed; cold weather.)

Standing of the Clubs.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	8	4	.667
Chicago	10	7	.588
St. Louis	9	7	.563
Boston	6	5	.545
Cincinnati	9	10	.474
Philadelphia	6	7	.462
Pittsburgh	7	11	.389
Brooklyn	3	7	.300

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Boston	9	4	.692
Chicago	10	6	.625
New York	7	6	.538
St. Louis	8	7	.533
Cleveland	8	9	.471
Philadelphia	6	8	.429
Detroit	5	9	.357
Washington	5	9	.357

Where They Play Today.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Brooklyn at New York. (Game begins at 3:30.)

Boston at Philadelphia.

St. Louis at Pittsburgh.

Cincinnati at Chicago.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York at Washington.

Philadelphia at Boston.

Chicago at Cleveland.

Detroit at St. Louis.

CUBS ARE BUSY IN FOURTH.

Collect Seven Runs and Add Two in Ninth, Beating Cards, 9 to 0.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 1.—Chicago batted Doak and Watson from the box in the fourth inning today and, helped by two misplays, won from St. Louis, 9 to 0. In this inning four singles, a triple, a base on balls, a sacrifice, and errors by Doak and Miller netted seven runs. In the ninth Doyle hit a home run into the right field bleachers, scoring Wolter, who had walked, ahead of him.

The score:

CHICAGO, (N.)	AbR	R	H	Po	A	ST. LOUIS, (N.)	Ab	R	H	Po	A
Zeider,ss	5	0	0	1	3	Bescher,lf	4	0	0	4	0
Wolter,rf	3	2	2	3	0	Betzel,2b	3	0	1	3	1
Doyle,2b	5	2	2	0	2	J.Smith,rf	2	0	1	3	0
Merkle,1b	4	1	0	11	1	Miller,1b	4	0	1	12	0
Williams,cf	4	1	1	3	1	Hornsby,ss	2	0	0	1	2
Mann,lf	5	1	2	3	0	McAuley,ss	2	0	0	1	2
Wilson,c	3	0	0	4	1	Cruise,cf	4	0	1	0	0
Deal,3b	4	1	1	1	2	F.Smith,3b	2	0	0	0	0
Douglas,p	0	0	0	0	0	Defate,3b	2	0	1	0	1
aSchack	0	0	0	0	0	Snyder,c	1	0	0	0	1
Reuther,p	2	1	1	1	2	Gonzales,c	3	0	0	3	1
						Doak,p	1	0	0	0	2
Total	35	9	9	27	12	Watson,p	0	0	0	0	1
						North,p	2	0	0	0	2
						Total	32	0	5	27	13

a Batted for Douglas in third.

Errors—Reuther, Miller, Doak.

Chicago	0 0 0	7 0 0	0 0 2	—9
St. Louis	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	—0

Three-base hit—Wolter. Home run—Doyle. Stolen bases—Merkle, Mann. Sacrifice hit—Wilson. Left on bases—Chicago, 6; St. Louis, 8. First base on errors—Chicago, 1; St. Louis, 1. Bases on balls—Off Reuther, 8; Doak, 2; Watson, 1; North, 3. Hits and earned runs—Off Douglas, 2 hits, 0 runs in 2 innings; Doak, 3 and 1 in 3, (none out in fourth;) Watson, 2 and 2 in 2-3; Reuther, 3 and 0 in 7; North, 4 and 2 in 5 1-3. Struck out—By Douglas, 1; Reuther, 3; North, 2. Passed ball—Gonzales. Time—2 hours. Umpires—Klem and Emslie.

HERZOG AND ZIM RECOVER.

Both Will Play Today if the Weather Gods Smile.

The rainy weather is benefiting the Giants, although it is having the opposite effect on the other major league clubs. The two days of forced rest have given Charley Herzog and Heinie Zimmerman, the cripples, a chance to get back into shape and both will be in the lineup today if the Polo Grounds prove dry enough to permit the clash of the Dodgers and McGraw's team.

Yesterday Brooklyn released Pitcher Dick Durning, who looks and acts like Rube Marquard, to Montreal of the International League. Pitcher Jack Enright of the Yankees, who was sent to Toronto a few weeks ago on trial, has been returned to the New York Club.

All the major league clubs are now getting ready to cut down their squads to the prescribed limit. American League clubs must cut down their players to twenty-five before May 15, while the National League aggregation will be permitted to carry only twenty-two players after that date. It is believed that before the season is over both leagues may reduce the number of players to each club below the present limit.

GREAT AUTO MEET PLANNED.

Purse of $25,000 for Sweepstakes at Cincinnati Speedway.

CINCINNATI, May 1.—Memorial Day at the Cincinati Speedway promises to offer a varied and interesting program of contests for motor-driven machines. While the chief event of the day will be the second annual international sweepstakes race at 250 miles, with a purse of $25,000, additional attractions have been provided to furnish thrills and excitement from morning until the ending of the big race.

Division of the $25,000 prize money for the 250-mile race has been arranged as follows: First, $10,000; second, $5,000; third, $2,500; fourth, $1,750; fifth, 1,500; sixth, $1,100; seventh, $900; eighth, $800; ninth, $750; tenth, $700.

Among the special features already arranged are a series of aviation exhibitions by some of the noted flyers of the world, contracts having already been closed, or agreed upon, with Ruth Law, Katherine Stinson, and Baxter Adams. These experts will give exhibitions both morning and afternoon, and it is likely that one of the trio will make flights from the speedway to the downtown sections of Cincinnati and return to the track.

Arrangements also are progressing for a series of three races for amateurs, to be decided previous to the 250-mile race. These contests will be limited to local owners driving their own stock cars.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

AT RICHMOND.

					R.H.E.
Buffalo	0 2 0	1 3 1	4 3 2	—16	14 1
Richmond	0 0 2	0 0 5	0 2 0	—9	10 8

Rochester at Newark—Postponed; wet grounds.

Montreal at Baltimore—Postponed; wet grounds.

Toronto at Providence—Postponed; wet grounds.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	12	3	.800
Newark	8	3	.727
Providence	6	6	.500
Richmond	7	8	.467
Rochester	6	7	.462
Toronto	6	8	.429
Montreal	5	8	.385
Buffalo	3	10	.231

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

Toronto at Providence. Montreal at Baltimore.

American Association.

Milwaukee, 4; Indianapolis, 3.

St. Paul, 6; Louisville, 4.

Southern Association.

Chattanooga, 7; Nashville, 6.

Little Rock, 4; Memphis, 1.

Mobile, 4; Birmingham, 3.

Atlanta, 4; New Orleans, 3. (First game.)

New Orleans, 3; Atlanta, 1. (Second game.)

SENATORS THROW OFF YANK HOODOO

After Dropping Four Straight, Griffith's Men Pull Out a 3 to 2 Victory.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 1.—Beating the Senators has been a popular pastime with the Yankees this season, but the worm turned today and Griffith's team came through with a victory after dropping four in a row to the New Yorkers. Harry Harper, making his first start of the year, limited the Donovan boys to four scattered hits, and this batting aenemia, coupled with some poor work by the Yankees at critical times, brought about a Washington victory, 3 to 2.

Bill Donovan announced in the first inning that the game would go to protest as a result of a decision by Umpire Bill Dineen on a peculiar play. With Foster on third base and Milan on second, Rice grounded to Baker. The latter threw to Nunamaker, and Foster, who was almost at the plate, back-pedalled to third base with Nunamaker in pursuit. Milan in the meantime had camped on third base.

Instead of stopping at third, as usually happens on one of these plays, Foster continued on and stopped about six feet beyond the cushion. Nunamaker tagged Milan, standing on the base, then continued on to Foster and touched him. Donovan contended that Milan had no right to the bag, and would have been declared out if Foster had stopped there and both were tagged.

As Foster had gone beyond the base and made no attempt to get back, he, too, was out according to Donovan and other Yankees. Dineen ruled that Foster alone was out, insisting that Foster had not touched the base in going back, and that Milan therefore was not forced to return to second. Another run was scored before the side was retired.

The Yankees had runners within scoring distance on numerous occasions, but could score in only one inning, the third, when Harper handed out three passes. Shawkey's walk, Gilhooley's single, and a pass to High filled the bases. Another pass to Maisel forced Shawkey home, and Pipp's sacrifice fly to Milan chased Gilhooley in.

Snappy double plays by McBride, Morgan, and Judge cut the Yankees short in the fourth and fifth innings. In the sixth, poor coaching by Baumann undoubtedly cost the run which would have carried the New Yorkers into an extra inning game. Pipp opened with a double and slid into third on a short passed ball. Henry threw into left field trying to catch Pipp, but Menosky had backed up the play, and Pipp was out by yards trying to score. Again in the seventh and eighth innings the Yanks reached second with one out, but could not reach Harper for a hit.

The Senators crashed hard into Shawkey in the first inning, getting four hits and two runs. Judge tripled over Gilhooley's head, and scored on Foster's single to left. Foster took third when Milan singled to centre, and then was ruled out when run back on Rice's grounder to Baker. Milan was out at the plate when Menosky grounded to Maisel, but Morgan's single scored Rice.

The winning run went over in the sixth. Rice doubled to centre. Menosky hunted the ball over Baker's head for a clean single when he tried to sacrifice. Rice advanced on this fluke hit, and scored on Morgan's sacrifice fly to High.

Today's defeat was the third for Shawkey in as many starts this season.

The score:

WASHINGTON.	Ab	R	H	Po	A	NEW YORK.	Ab	R	H	Po	A
Judge,1b	4	1	3	10	0	Gilhooley,rf	2	1	1	0	0
Foster,3b	4	0	1	1	1	Miller,rf	1	0	0	1	0
Milan,cf	4	0	1	2	0	High,lf	1	0	0	2	0
Rice,rf	4	2	1	3	0	Maisel,2b	2	0	0	3	3
Menosky,lf	3	0	1	0	1	Pipp,1b	2	0	1	11	0
Morgan,2b	3	0	2	3	4	Baker,3b	4	0	0	0	1
McBride,ss	3	0	0	1	2	Magee,cf	4	0	0	0	0
Henry,c	3	0	0	7	0	P'paugh,ss	4	0	1	0	1
Harper,p	3	0	1	0	3	N'amaker,c	3	0	0	7	2
						Shawkey,p	2	1	1	0	3
Total	31	3	10	27	11	aBaumann	1	0	0	0	0
						bHendryx	1	0	0	0	0
						Total	27	2	4	24	10

a Batted for Gilhooley in seventh.

b Batted for Shawkey in ninth.

Errors—Foster, McBride, Peckinpaugh.

Washington	2 0 0	0 0 1	0 0 .	—3
New York	0 0 2	0 0 0	0 0 0	—2

Two-base hits—Milan, Pipp, Rice. Three-base hit—Judge. Stolen base—Morgan. Sacrifice hits—High, Pipp. Sacrifice flies—Pipp, Morgan. Double plays—McBride, Morgan, and Judge; Maisel, (unassisted.) Left on bases—New York, 8; Washington, 6. First base on errors—New York, 2; Washington, 1. Bases on balls—Off Harper, 7; Shawkey, 1. Hits and earned runs—Off Shawkey, 10 hits, 3 runs in 8 innings; Harper, 4 and 2 in 9. Struck out—By Harper, 4; Shawkey, 6. Passed ball—Henry. Time—2 hours, 14 minutes. Umpires—Dineen and Owens.

NARRAGANSETT BAY RACING.

Yachtsmen Will Hold Usual Regattas Despite the War.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 1.—There will be no cessation of racing activities among the yacht clubs composing the Narragansett Bay Yacht Racing Association, which plan to hold their usual regattas during the coming Summer, despite the war, and to stimulate the racing of sail and power yachts. Arthur P. Brayton of Fall River, the newly elected President of the association, says that many of the newly commissioned officers of the navy and recruited seamen have come from the ranks of the yachtsmen in this bay and from other yachting centres along the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, and that the nautical experience and love of the sea which they have gained as yachtsmen is largely responsible for their entry into the service of the navy.

He believes that the yacht clubs are performing a patriotic duty in encouraging their younger members and the public in general in gaining skill and interest in nautical matters, and that yacht racing is one of the greatest stimulants to that end.

BIRDS AND BEES TO RACE.

Bayside Y. C., Noted for Small Craft, Will Hold Regattas.

The Bayside Yacht Club, despite the fact that many of its members will serve actively in Uncle Sam's forces, has decided to carry out its usual Summer racing program. The Bayside Yacht Club is noted for the racing of little boats. Probably no other small club on Long Island Sound has so many racing yachts in commission. The fleet includes the Bayside Birds, Bees, and Butterflies, all boats of more than local fame.

The club plans to start its racing year on May 30, with a Memorial Day special race for all classes. There will be the usual Saturday afternoon regattas for all classes until Saturday, Sept. 8, when the club will have its annual "Fall flight." The club has decided not to hold either the annual yawl or the annual motorboat race. The uncertain condition of Long Island Sound, due to the war, is the reason given for the cancellation of the fixtures.

Kentucky Calls Off Schedules.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 1.—The University of Kentucky today declared all athletic activities off as a result of practically every man on all the teams having enlisted for war service or gone back to farms to assist in raising food.

N. Y. U. TO KEEP UP SPORTS.

Dean Brown Favors Maintenance of Intercollegiate Athletics.

New York University will not follow the example of a number of other institutions that have canceled their athletic schedules, it was learned yesterday. Dean Marshall S. Brown of University Heights made the statement that he does not believe the present situation to be one which demands the discontinuance of intercollegiate games. The schedules there have not been altered materially, and the athletic work at New York University will continue as usual.

Instruction in tennis will again be given during the Summer school's session, which opens July 2. This will be given under the direction of Professor Alexander Haring. This was introduced during 1915 to encourage outdoor recreation, and no charge is made. Another innovation to encourage outdoor recreation is the Camera Club, also free to students. Trips to points of interest in the vicinity of University Heights will be arranged to meet the convenience of members.

RAIN MARS WOMEN'S GOLF.

Mrs. Stockton Takes Prize at Opening W. M. G. A. Tourney.

The first one-day tournament of the Women's Metropolitan Golf Association was held yesterday at the Dunwoodie Country Club. The weather was not what might be called propitious and the eighteen women who made the round of the links in the handicap were more impressed by the dampness than any other single event of the day.

Mrs. L. C. Stockton of Somerville won the first prize with a card of 103—1—102. Mrs. J. H. Williams of Dunwoodie was second with 112—7—105. There is no award for low gross at these one-day tournaments, but the player with the low gross score at each event is credited with one point toward a season's prize, which is awarded at the annual meeting to the player with the highest total of points.

Because of the inclement weather and the small number of entries, this tourney will be played over again at Dunwoodie.

A SUBSTITUTE FOR REGATTA

Rowing Association Plans Carnival and Flag Raising.

The officials of the New York Rowing Association, who, at their meeting on Monday night, decided to abandon the annual regatta, the biggest rowing event in the East, yesterday sent out an announcement to the effect that a rowing carnival and flag raising had been arranged to replace the annual fixture. This will be held on the date that the regatta was to have been held at the Bayonne Rowing Club's course at Newark Bay, Decoration Day, May 30.

The substitute water carnival will begin promptly at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, from the Nonpareil Rowing Club, 196th Street and the Harlem River. From that point the course will lead south to Macomb's Dam Park, where the flag raising will take place at about 3 o'clock. The city officials have been invited to attend the water carnival, and the New York Rowing Association expects the substitute affair to be a great success.

TO USE BELMONT INFIELD.

Arrangements Made for Patrons at Race Track, Owing to Fire.

Owing to the destruction of the stand at Belmont Park Terminal, arrangements have been made by the United Hunts Racing Association to threw open the infield to patrons of the race meet on May 12 and 19. It is believed that a better view of the races will be obtained from midfield than from the inclosure outside of the finishing stretch. Entries for the events will close tomorrow with George W. Gall, 18 East Forty-first Street.

Among the events to close are:

The Turf and Field, of one mile on the flat; the Green Hedge Steeplechase, at two and a half miles; the Preparatory Handicap Steeplechase, at about two miles; the United Hunts Double Event, at about two miles; the Hopeful Steeplechase, at about two miles; the South Shore, at a mile and a quarter on the flat; the Hamptons Steeplechase, at two miles; the Timber Toppers champion chase of four miles over a timber course; the Great United Hunts Steeplechase, at two and a half miles; the Masqueraders Steeplechase of three miles over brush jumps; the Terminal, at one mile on the flat, and the Hopover, a hurdle of about two miles.

BIG SALARY FOR JOCKEY.

McLean Reported to Have Signed Williams at $500 a Month.

Edward B. McLean, the Washington sportsman, who has just joined the ranks of steeplechase owners, is determined to cut a figue in jumping races if money can attain that object. Word has just been received from Pimlico that Jockey Fred Williams, one of the best cross-country riders, has been engaged to ride the McLean jumpers at a salary of $500 a month. So far as known this is the largest salary ever paid a steeplechase rider in this country. The contract with Mr. McLean had scarcely been ratified when Williams received a cablegram from J. D. Cohn offering him a contract to ride in steeplechases at Chantilly from May 7 to July 15, but had to decline the offer.

PIMLICO ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE.—For two-year-olds; four furlongs. *Grey Eagle, 109 pounds; Perigourdine, 106; Onward, 109; *Umatilla, 109; Tit for Tat, 109; Royal Arch, (imp.,) 109; Kate Glenn, 106; Martial Music, 106; Tickolette, 106.

SECOND RACE.—The Patapsco Steeplechase, for four-year-olds and upward; selling; two miles. Bamboo, 142 pounds; Welsh King, 146; Stucco, 145; Ballybay, 149; ‡Handrunning, 135; New Haven, 155; †Superhuman, 137; High Flyer, 145; †Early Light, 144; Racebrook, 145; Meshach, 145; Captain Matlock, 152.

THIRD RACE.—For maiden three-year-olds; six furlongs. Vistula III., 105 pounds; Sorcerer II., (imp.,) 110; Bladen, 110; Bright and Early, 105; Daybreak, 105; The Belgian, (imp.,) 110; Robin Goodfellow, 110; Melodrama, 110; Buddy, 105; Bar of Phoenix, 110; Corn Tassel, (imp.,) 110; Jack Dawson, 110; Jade, 105; Wild Thyme, 105; Jimmy Burns, 110; Kildare, 110; Riverside, 110; Buckboard, 110. Excluded: Lynette, Bond, and Millie B.

FOURTH RACE.—For two-year-olds; selling; four furlongs. Plancy, (imp.,) 114 pounds; Little Sweeper, 111; †Mr. Dooley, 109; Orlando of Havana, 114; Sunrose, 111; Austral, 114; Wetona, 111; Sweet Marguerite, 111; Lord Herbert, (imp.,) 114; Ben Gunn, 114; †Marmont, 109; Shifty Sadie, 111; Bill Livingston, 114.

FIFTH RACE.—For four-year-olds and upward; selling; six furlongs. Presumption, 120 pounds; †Sam Slick, 110; Surprising, 115; Marianao, 110; †Shrapnel, 110; Stellarina, 110; Roscas, 118; Lohengrin, 115; Eddie Henry, 115; Plumose, 10; Cagliostro, 115; Balgee, 120.

SIXTH RACE.—The Severn Selling, handicap; for three-year-olds and upward; one mile. Monomoy, 99 pounds; Bonnie Tess, 107; Ocean Prince, 113; Pierrot, 106; Jem, 118; Fairy Legend, 103; Postmaster, 100; Sky Pilot, 105; Billy Culbertson, 108; G. M. Miller, 114; Precise, 95; Transit, 114.

SEVENTH RACE.—The Govan's Handicap, for three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs. Damrosch, 111 pounds; Hyannis, 99; Kewessa, 117; Tea Caddy, 111; He Will, 127; Indian Chant, 106; Mary Powell, 101; Ultimatum, 107; Hauberk, 116; J. J. Lillis, 115; Nebraska, 109; Garbage, 105.

*Ross entry. †Apprentice allowance claimed. ‡Ten pounds apprentice allowance claimed. Weather raining; track heavy.

RENNERT HANDICAP WON BY FENMOUSE

Flames and Storm Work Vainly to Spoil Opening Day at Pimlico Track.

PIMLICO, Md., May 1.—Fire and water combined to play havoc with the prospects for the opening of the Maryland Jockey Club meeting here this afternoon, which had been looked forward to as the most promising of the three Maryland meetings. An early morning fire that swept over the stables destroyed several of the racers, but fortunately was checked without doing any damage to the stands or other buildings. Then rain came in the afternoon to check the flow of racegoers who were preparing to journey from Baltimore and Washington to witness the opening of the sport.

There was no dampening the enthusiasm of the crowd, however, and there was a fine turnout of faithful followers of racing when the bugle sounded for the first race.

The heavy track affected the running of the Rennert Handicap at a mile, which was the feature of the afternoon, and in which J. W. May's consistent mare Bayberry Candle carried the top weight of 125 pounds. The task was too much to ask so early in the season, and the race throughout was strictly among the lightweight brigade.

G. A. Muller started Fenmouse, a Belmont cast-off, that was in at 109 pounds, and which, under the careful guidance of E. Ambrose, assumed command, with Woodstone and Robert Bradley in close attendance. Among the trailers, besides Bayberry Candle, was the good handicap horse Runes. Neither of these had a chance when the leaders hit the stretch, and Fenmonse, making a determined run in the last furlong, corralled first money by a comfortable margin. Johnny McTaggart landed Woodstone in second place, with Robert Bradley taking show money.

In the Druid Hill Park Purse, the chief two-year-old event decided, Tommy McTaggart had the mount on Ral Parr's Coral, and, getting him away in lively style, he made a race of it from the first post, holding J. P. Jones's Virginia Yell safe all the way. Scabbard proved the better of the R. T. Wilson pair and took third money.

In the other two-year-old race, which was the first on the program, Mr. Whitney's Bonnie Broom, one of the outsiders, under clever handling by Robinson managed to land the purse from the Sunset Stable's Midnight Sun.

There was a great shock for the form players in the steeplechase, in which all the well-played horses came to grief on the slippery turf. These included Kintore and Sharpshooter, both of which were heavily supported. With the favorites all out of the running early in the race, Henderson landed first money with J. H. Munford's Colonetta, which paid the nice price of $56.40 in the mutuels.

The summaries:

FIRST RACE.—For two-year-old maidens; purse, $700; four furlongs. Time—0:49 2-5.

Bonnie Broom, H. P. Whitney's ch. f., 107 pounds, by Whisk Broom II.-Bonnie Star, $25.30, $6.40, and $3.70, (F. Robinson)....1

Midnight Sun, Sunset Stable's ch. c., 110, by Peep o' Day-Summer Night, $3.50 and $2.50, (R. Troxler)....2

Quietude, A. H. Morris's br. f., 107, by Dalhousie-Tabouret, $2.70, third, (J. Ryan).3

Star-Spangled, Charlie Leydecker, Roederer, Mohican, Contender, Common Law, and Twin Six also ran. Dirigo, Start Right, Rubber II., George Starr, and Odalisque scratched.

SECOND RACE.—Pimlico Inaugural Steeplechase; for four-year-olds and upward; purse, $700; two miles. Time—4:09 3-5.

Colonetta, J. H. Munford's ch. m., 7 years, 142 pounds, by Ormicant-Loot, $56.40, $16.30, and $7.90, (E. Henderson)....1

Bryn Rose, W. W. Lander's br. m., 5, 137, by Bryn Mawr-Rosebay, $19.50 and $10.30, (J. Yourall)....2

Tredette, A. P. Humphrey's Jr.'s, b. f., 4, 131, by Tredennis-Hackett, $14.30, third, (A. P. Humphrey, Jr.)....3

Kintore, Sharpshooter, Eugenia, McGee, and Maitre Corbeau also ran. Shannon River, Distant Shore, and Faker scratched.

THIRD RACE.—For three-year-olds, selling, purse $700; six furlongs. Time—1:17.

Blue Fox, Mirasol Stable's b. f., 108 pounds, by Waterboy-Russian Sable, $9.50, $4.70, and $4.20, (T. Parrington).... 1

Meddling Miss, O. E. Pons's ch. f., 103, by Tony Bolero-Busy Miss, $4.10 and $3.30, (H. Merimee).... 2

Kathryn Gray, H. G. Bedwell's ch. f., 103, by Ballot-Old Squaw, $4, third, (A. Johnson).... 3

Queen of the Sea, Flecha Negra, Intriguer, Owaga, Spectre, Luck, Hopscotch, Lorinne, and Rosanne also ran. Arbitrator and Three Cheers scratched.

FOURTH RACE.—Druid Hill Park Purse, for two-year-olds, purse $700; four furlongs. Time—0:51 2-5.

Coral, R. Parr's b. c., 112 pounds, by Star Shoot-Mimosa, $7.30, $3.40, and $2.20, (T. McTaggart)....1

Virginia Yell, J. P. Jones's ch. g., 112, by Plaudit-Mary Scribe, $2.60 and $2.10, (E. Ambrose).... 2

Scabbard, R. T. Wilson's br. c., 112, by Helmet-Roman Gold, $2.10, third, (J. McTaggart).... 3

Woodthrush and Ballast also ran. Matinee Idol, Game Cock, and Jack of Spades also ran.

FIFTH RACE.—Rennert Handicap, for four-year-olds and upward, $1,000 added; one mile. Time—1:43 1-5.

Fenmouse, G. A. Muller's b. m., 5 years, 109 pounds, by Rock Sand-Flittermouse, $10.30, $4.20, and $3.20, (E. Ambrose).... 1

Woodstone, M. Shea's ch. c., 4, 108, by Rock Sand-Woodvine, $6.60 and $4.60, (J. McTaggart).... 2

Robert Bradley, W. R. Mizell's ch. g., 106, by McGee-Lady Quex, $6.80 third, (A. Collins).... 3

Bayberry Candle, Runes, All Smiles, and Ask Ma also ran. Wooden Shoes and Christie scratched.

SIXTH RACE.—For three-year-olds and upward, purse $700; six furlongs. Time—1:15 2-5.

Nightstick, Kentucky Stable's ch. g., 7 years, 118 pounds, by Broomstick-Handspun, $7.10, $3.30, and $3.40, (J. Butwell) 1

Crimper, R. Parr's ch. c., 4, 115, by Maintenon-Frizette, $3.50 and $3.50, (T. McTaggart).... 2

Jock Scott, G. A. Cochran's br. c., 3, 110, by Ogden-Frankie, $11 third, (L. McAtee) 3

Lucius, Tea Caddy, Rhine Maiden, Back Bay, Starfinch, Firing Line, Madame Herrmann, Manhasset, Merchant, Lone Star, Candy Land, and Priam also ran. Hanohala, Warsaw, and Tea Caddy scratched.

SEVENTH RACE.—For three-year-olds and upward; selling; purse $700; one mile. Time—1:45 1-5.

Maxim's Choice, H. G. Bedwell's b. g., 6 years, 114 pounds, by Golden Maxim-Leonalia, $8, $3, and $2.30, (H. Merimee).1

Broomsedge, R. Parr's b. g., 6, 119, by Broomstick-Sister Mary, $2.50 and $2.20, (J. McTaggart)....2

Thesieres, M. Smith's ch. g., 7, 114, by Bannockburn-Discard, $2.30 third, (A. Johnson)....3

Lantana, Tootsie, Stanley S., Lady Innocence, Chilton King, and Life also ran. Hiker, Edith Baumann, Fairweather, Jerry, and Buzz Around scratched.

Cochran and Cutler Split Honors.

Welker Cochran, the Chicago billiardist, and Albert G. Cutler of Boston played two exhibition 18. 2 balk-line matches last night at Daly's Billiard Academy, each winning one match. In the first match Cutler defeated Cochran by a score of 300 to 257 in nine innings. The high runs were: Cutler, 110; Cochran, 81. In the second contest Cochran defeated his opponent in a very close match, by a score of 300 to 297 in nine innings. The high runs were: Cochran, 148; Cutler, 125.

TROTTING BOARD MEETS.

Only One Horse and Driver Expelled by National Body.

Only one real ringer was unearthed on the opening day of the semi-annual session of the Board of Review of the National Trotting Association at the Murray Hill Hotel yesterday. This was the bay mare which was started as Nellie H. at Tuscaloosa, Ala., on Oct. 24 and 25 and also at Greensboro, Ala., Oct. 31 and Nov. 2. Investigations of Secretary W. H. Gocher resulted in this mare being fully identified as Sarah D., a mare with a record of 2:12¼, and she was expelled with her driver, C. A. Hammond of North Vernon, Ind. The mare's winnings at Greensboro amounted to more that $300, and if this is returned for redistribution she may be reinstated to the trotting ranks.

A demand having been made for the identification of the chestnut mare The Princess, it was decided that the mare called The Princess by Electmont had not been properly identified. The Princess was raced in Pennsylvania last year, and the board ruled that Charles Goodman of Grand Marias, Mich., and Charles J. Root be suspended until the mare is identified to the satisfaction of the board.

Besides President John C. Welty and Secretary W. H. Gocher, the members of the board present were Pierre Lorillard, Jr., Tuxedo Park, N. Y., Atlantic District; A. P. Sandals, Ottawa, Ohio, Western District; Breese Blizzard, Parkersburg, W. Va., Central District, and P. H. Wall, Ottawa, Ont., Eastern District.

HASTINGS PLATE TO ARGOSY

Final Flat Racing Meeting of Season in England Begins.

NEWMARKET, England, May 1.—The last meeting allowed by the Government before the cessation of English flat racing commenced today. The feature race, the Hastings Plate, of the value of $2,500, was run off and won by Sir W. Tatem's Argosy, with the champion jockey, Steve Donoghue, who has just returned from South Africa, up, by half a length ahead of W. Bibby's St. Tudwal, with Spear in the saddle. Lord Derby's Condor, ridden by Frank Rickaby, was third, a length and a half behind. Only six horses started. The betting was Argosy, 5 to 4; St. Tudwal, 100 to 9, and Condor, 18 to 8.

LARGE ENTRY FOR HUNT.

Weights Allotted for Second Meeting at Hewlett Bay Park.

A larger entry has been received for the second session of the Rockaway Hunting Club race meet on Saturday than was received for the opening day at Hewlett Bay Park. There are six events on the program, and of these three are over stiff jumps and long routes. Weights have been allotted for the handicap events, which accord the posts of honor to Conqueror and M. J. Shannon in the hunters' races and to Mr. Specs in the dash on the flat.

The weights follow:

The Spring Handicap, for four-year-olds and upward; about five furlongs.—Catharinestown, 155 pounds; Balayer, 140; Mr. Specs, 165; Pay Streak, 148; Plaintiff, 151; Solar Star, 155; Tipperary, 145; Vera Kessler, 140.

The Woodsburgh Handicap, hunters' steeplechase; 3½ miles.—Brosseau, 161 pounds; Chestnuts, 145; Conqueror, 166; Ellistown Boy, 161; Meltonere, 160; Unico, 148.

The Long Island Handicap, hunters' steeplechase; 2½ miles.—Conqueror, 162 pounds; Guardian Saint, 148; M. J. Shannon, 165; O'Laughlin, 140; Sand Hog, 145.

WHITNEY HORSES SOLD.

New York Turfman Disposes of Elysian, Golden Glow, and Ku Klux.

The stable of Harry Payne Whitney, which has been racing in Maryland in charge of Albert Simons, has been weeded out, several of the horses, mostly two-year-olds, having been sold to other owners. The imported horse Clapper Bill, which ran disappointingly in his first appearance in this country, has been sold to Mr. Clopton, who, in addition to this four-year-old, which raced well in England, has purchased the two-year-olds Elysian, a bay colt by Macdonald—Paradise, and Golden Glow, a bay colt by All Gold—Rain Daisy. Ed Trotter secured the two-year-old Ku Klux from the Whitney string. This is a bay gelding by Broomstick—Valkyrie, which has shown speed in his trials.

RACING ON STATEN ISLAND.

Five-Day Meeting to be Held at Dongan Hills in August.

Thoroughbred racing during part of the month of August will be provided in a convenient location for New Yorkers who will be deprived of the sport while the Saratoga meeting is in progress. Edward Zimmer has gained control of the half-mile track at Dongan Hills, Staten Island, and proposes to hold a five-day meeting there as a feature of the Richmond County Fair, which has been held annually at the track.

An organization to be called the Staten Island Jockey Club will be in control of the sport, and it is proposed to give purses of the value of $400 each. The track is in good condition, but it is planned to rebuild the stables and the grand stand. Eddie Tribe has been engaged as starter.

OVER 1,700 WOMEN IN TENNIS SERIES

Benefit Tourneys for Red Cross Will Start Tomorrow on West Side Courts.

A series of tennis tournaments to be held during the early Summer and involving more than 1,700 women playing in the metropolitan district will begin at the West Side Tennis Club tomorrow afternoon. The plan was suggested by Miss Bessie Holden and the details have been worked out by her in co-operation with Miss Florence Ballin and Miss Marie Wagner. All the money raised will be given to the Red Cross.

Sixteen women, representing clubs in and near New York, will play tomorrow, this tournament being under the direction of Miss Ballin. Each of these sixteen players pledges herself to conduct a tournament in which twelve players will be asked to take part. Each of these, in turn, will be expected to hold tournaments in which eight players will compete. An entry fee of $1 will be collected from each player for the Red Cross fund. Players are expected to furnish balls so there will be no expenses, and it is figured that $1,744 can be raised for the Red Cross provided that all events are held. Miss Wagner will be the treasurer.

Not only will this series raise a substantial sum for the Red Cross, but it will provide tournament competition for a large number of women. Those in charge of the events to be held at the various clubs, as the plan develops, will have singles or doubles, as they may prefer. Doubles will be played at the West Side tomorrow, the matches beginning about 2 o'clock. It is believed that the idea will appeal to women throughout the country who are interested in tennis, and an effort will be made to start similar series of tournaments in all the big tennis centres.

Those who are expected to take part in the opening tournament are: Miss Marie Wagner, New York Lawn Tennis Club; Miss Edith Bagg, Hamilton Grange Tennis Club; Miss Polly Sheldon, Montclair A. C.; Miss Gertrude Hill, Amackassin Club; Mrs. Benjamin F. Briggs, Pelham Country Club; Miss Edith White, West Side Tennis Club; Miss Tyndale, Staten Island Ladies Club; Miss Mordecai, Woodmere Club; Mrs. David C. Mills, Orange Lawn Tennis Club; Mrs. Blaikie, Englewood Field Club; Miss Bessie Holden, County Tennis Club of Westchester; Mrs. George Chapman, Nyack Country Club; Mrs. Herrick, Rockaway Hunting Club; Miss Alexander, Philadelphia, and Miss Helen Bernhard, Century Country Club.

TENNIS TO AID RED CROSS.

Church and Washburn Will Play at West Side Club Saturday.

Sergeant George M. Church of the aviation service, and Watson M. Washburn, who has passed his examinations for the Officers' Reserve Corps, will appear in an exhibition tennis match for the benefit of the Red Cross at the West Side Tennis Club's courts on Saturday afternoon, unless Church is compelled by Government orders to report to the Plattsburg camp before that time. These two tennis players who have undertaken military service are both ranked in the first ten, Church being rated as No. 6 and Washburn as No. 7. In doubles, Harold H. Hackett and Fred B. Alexander will play Clifton B. Herd and Alrick Man, Jr.

No admission will be charged and any tennis follower will be welcome, whether or not he belongs to the West Side Club. As was the case last week a collection will be taken for the benefit of the Red Cross. Similar matches will be held by the West Side Club each Saturday during May, and it is hoped by the management that they will arouse such interest on the part of the tennis public that they may be the means of raising a substantial sum of money for the Red Cross.

DATES FOR WEST VIRGINIA.

Football Schedule Arranged in Case War Situation Permits.

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., May 1.—Although the duration of the war may interfere West Virginia University has prepared for the possible resumption of athletic activities among colleges in the Fall and prepared a football schedule. Among the most important games that have been arranged for the gridiron season are frays with the Dartmouth, Rutgers, and army elevens. The list of dates follows:

Sept. 22—Davis-Elkins, at Morgantown; 29—University of Pittsburgh, at Morgantown. Oct. 6—George Washington University, at Morgantown; 13—United States Military Academy, at West Point; 20—Dartmouth, at Hanover; 27—Gettysburg College, at Morgantown. Nov. 3—Rutgers, at Newark; 10—Virginia Poly Institute, at Huntington; 17—Washington and Jefferson, at Fairmont; 24—West Virginia Wesleyan, at Clarksburg; 29—North Carolina A. and M., at Morgantown.

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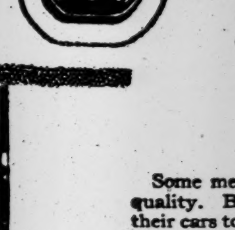

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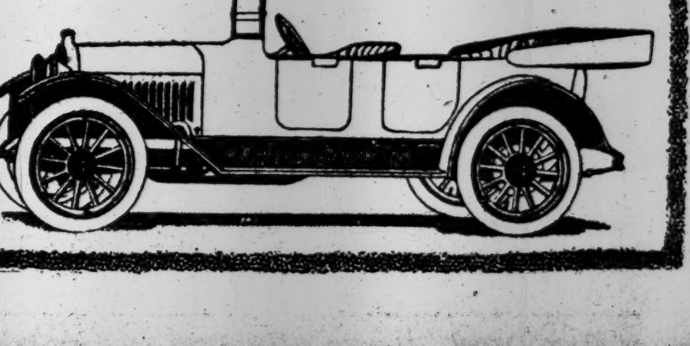

COPEAU TO DIRECT FRENCH THEATRE

Founder of Theatre du Vieux Colombier in Paris Is to Succeed Lucien Bonheur.

GARRICK TO BE REBUILT

Old Theatre Chosen in Preference to the New Bijou Intended for the French Company.

Official announcement was made yesterday of the appointment of Jacques Copeau as director of the local French Theatre and of his acceptance. It had been known for some time that M. Copeau, who came to America several weeks ago to deliver a series of lectures, had been invited by the Board of Directors of the Théâtre Français des Etats-Unis to become the artistic head of the theatre, and it had been rumored that he would probably accept, but this was the first official statement of his acceptance.

The Théâtre Français des Etats-Unis was founded a year ago by a group of men desirous of cultivating an interest in the French drama in this city. Robert Goelet was made President of the Board of Directors, Otto H. Kahn Vice President and Chairman, and the other members were James W. Barney, Nicholas Murray Butler, Paul D. Cravath, William Adams Delano, Arthur Iselin, Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., Cornelius Vanderbilt, and H. R. Winthrop. Lucien Bonheur, who had managed a company of French actors in this city for several seasons, was made the manager of the company, which was established in the Garrick Theatre pending the completion of the Bijou in West Forty-fifth Street, originally intended for the French company.

The announcement of M. Copeau's appointment also stated that Mr. Bonheur's connection with the company had terminated, and that none of the Board of Directors was associated in any way with the future plans of Mr. Bonheur. The former Director announced recently that he intended to continue to present French plays with French actors in this city, and that he expected to have a Broadway playhouse next season. He recently left Mount Sinai Hospital, where he underwent a serious operation, and is at his country place at Great Neck recuperating.

M. Copeau is the founder and director of the Théâtre du Vieux Colombier in Paris. Although the theatre was in existence only a season before the war came and closed it, it established its founder as a man of the theatre to be reckoned with. M. Copeau will sail for France shortly to arrange his affairs there and will return in September with the artists, scenery, and costumes of the Théâtre du Vieux Colombier. The program for next season will be issued within the next few weeks.

M. Copeau chose the Garrick as the home of his company in preference to the Bijou. The old theatre will be completely rebuilt, however, during the Summer, along lines suggested by him. The affairs of the Théâtre Français des Etats-Unis will be wound up by the directors, and the new theatre, which will be permanent, will take its place.

PADEREWSKI STILL A POLE.

Famous Pianist Sees Hope for Native Land in America's War Aims.

I. J. Paderewski last evening denied a rumor that he was to become an American citizen. The story was contained in a recent cable dispatch from Lausanne, near his Swiss home. Possibly because of its source, the famous Polish musician departed from his custom of silence in such matters.

"The present is pre-eminently not a time to renounce one's nationality," said Mr. Paderewski "The entrance of the United States into the war has given Poles everywhere the hope that their country—my country—may also be free at last. It has changed the whole complexion of the war.

"America is going to fight, not for territory, not for profit of any kind, not even for self-defense, but for an ideal of democracy that may be the determining factor. Nothing could be more admirable, more noble, than President Wilson's statement of this country's aims. I think we cannot yet estimate the great influence it will have, not only on the Allies now, but on the final peace when that shall come."

Mr. Paderewski isto address meetings of his countrymen at Buffalo, Cleveland, Detroit, Chicago, and elsewhere before going for the Summer to his estate near Paso Robles, Cal. He will speak in the Polish tongue to most of these assemblages, besides making addresses in English at several colleges, beginning at Columbia University shortly.

Degrees for Page, Borden, and Smuts

LONDON, May 1.—Cambridge University will confer the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws on Walter Hines Page, the American Ambassador; Sir Robert Borden, Prime Minister of Canada, and Lieut. Gen. Jan Smuts, the famous South African commander.

WOULD CLOSE CENTURY BAR

Ethical Culture Society Objects to Intoxicating Drinks at Theatre.

An injunction proceeding by the Ethical Culture Society, brought in the name of its secretary, Robert D. Kohn, an architect, to restrain the sale of intoxicating drinks in the Century Theatre Building on the ground that the theatre is within 200 feet of the Ethical Culture School at Sixty-third Street and Central Park West, was heard yesterday by Supreme Court Justice Giegerich. The Court reserved decision after counsel for John Wagener, the defendant, who holds the liquor privileges for the building, had denied that he is violating the law. Mr. Kohn, through his attorney, George W. Wickersham, contended that liquor is served not only in a "gentleman's bar" in the basement of the building, for which the license was obtained, but in the Vanderbilt suite on the second floor and in the Cocoanut Grove on the roof, both of which places, the plaintiff asserts, are not covered by the license.

The defendant contended that no liquor has been sold within 200 feet of the school since March 23 last and that the selling in the "gentleman's bar" and the Vanderbilt suite is only between 9 and 10:30 P. M. Mr. Kohn said yesterday that when the New Theatre was built and a bill was introduced to permit the sale of liquor there the Ethical Culture Society did not oppose it because of the nature of the enterprise, although its permission was never given. He said that conditions had changed, and that residents of the neighborhood, including the society, were "distressed" by the form of entertainment presented, especially in the roof garden.

Mme. Bernhardt Sits Up in Bed.

Sarah Bernhardt was able to sit up in bed without aid yesterday at Mount Sinai Hospital for the first time since her operation two weeks ago. This, coupled with the fact that she had passed a fairly comfortable day, made the prospect of her recovery seem more encouraging.

Austrian War Interest 5 1-2%.

AMSTERDAM, May 1.—The Cologne Gazette, a copy of which has been received here, says it hears from Vienna that the subscribers to the sixth Austrian war loan will have the choice of accepting ten-year treasury bills or bonds redeemable in forty years. Both series will bear interest at 5½ per cent.

Lloyd George Goes to France.

LONDON, May 1.—Premier Lloyd George left London tonight for France.

'THE YOUNG SKYLARK' SUNG.

Mascagni's New Opera Is Enthusiastically Received in Rome.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

ROME, May 1.—"Lodoletta," or "The Young Skylark," is the title of a new opera by Pietro Mascagni given here tonight at the Costanzi Theatre. The production was conducted by Mascagni, always with a favorite with the Roman public, which again received him triumphantly. The libretto, by Forzano, is a sweet and simple story, much resembling the novel by Ouida, entitled "Two Little Wooden Shoes." The first two acts occur in Holland and the third in Paris.

The audience applauded enthusiastically the chief episodes and principal musical numbers of the opera, asking several encores, especially that of the chorus of Dutch milkmaids, which was most characteristic and effective. The third act was most touching and evoked genuine emotion. The opera is considered another noteworthy success for the Italian composer.

The maestro produced his "Cavalleria Rusticana" originally in 1890 at the Costanzi, and of his later operas, both "Amico Fritz" and "Iris," the latter in 1898 first saw the light in Rome.

SOCIALISTS PLAN TO DISCREDIT MR. ROOT

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unless there are members on that commission who will be personally acceptable to the Russian Social Democrats the Russian press will create the impression that the commission was sent for the special purpose of fighting down the Social Democrats, which are now in the ascendancy in Russia.

"You think that is not so, but I have talked with many Russians right here in New York City and I know what they are thinking over in the other country. I know how old insinuations are revived, and nothing is more difficult than to combat insinuations. If those present here had some means of conveying to the President, or to ex-Secretary Root, the necessity of having on that commission men who would be acceptable to the Social Democratic Party in Russia, they would really be doing a great patriotic act for this country. It is a necessity, a distinct necessity, gentlemen, for the reason that suspicion on the part of the Social Democrats will lead to dissension, will open forth a way of attack on the Government. You think that they do not attack the Government. I will give you an example that they do. On my desk in New Haven lies a letter from Miliukoff, (Minister of Foreign Affairs,) written three months ago, and signed by him, and in that he states that Russia needs Constantinople; he gives the reason why. He dwells at length on that subject, and meanwhile the Russian Government was forced to announce that it is against the policy of acquisition.

Says Wilson Should Act.

"Meanwhile the Russian Government was forced to announce that the Russian soldiers are going to control the supply of food and of order in the army. Not everything is going well in Russia. And just because I feel a conviction for this, my adopted land, just because in my intense desire to see right triumph over might, because of my deep desire to see that the spirit of freedom rule all over the world—for that reason I would like to appeal to you not to be too optimistic, but to do your very best to induce those who still can prevail upon the President to find means, whichever means those are, to give that commission such a shake up that it would be strengthening the Government by not inducing the Russian Socialists to dissent right away.

"We ought also to carry to them in some way the news that freedom at this moment is dependable—not a demand for any Socialistic State which is not possible at present in Russia—but that freedom at present is dependable entirely upon the situation at the front; that if the Germans should be able to overthrow a disorganized army, this country and Great Britain and France will have a fight on their hands perhaps for five years to come, and that they will have to shed blood to defend democracy. And the more we can do in that direction, the more we can hope that this terrible moment will be postponed.

"I would like to say only one word more, and that is that in the newspapers a separate peace movement by the German Chancellor is announced. It seems that on Thursday he is going to give out propositions which contain something like the same demands that the Russian workmen are making. Suppose that it should be the same? Suppose that the Russian workmen will then insist on a separate peace because their demands are met?

"I have been trying my best throughout the last four or five weeks to convey this information to the President, but he is at present the busiest man in this country; but if those among you who are persuaded by what I have said, and who have a chance, have a possibility to bring it before the President, you ought to do it; you ought to do it before the commission goes. You ought to do it to save the world from a calamity, which rises like a spectre in the East, and which will engulf not only Russia in anarchy, but may result in ruin to Europe and to this country."

Speech Makes an Impression.

The Russian's words made a profound impression on the audience, an impression that seemed to be reflected in a number of the speeches which followed his—among the others, in the speech of Mr. Hughes, who referred in his talk to the "very serious words of warning with respect to affairs in the great nation that has so recently burst the bonds of despotism and is emerging into all the difficulties and privileges of freedom.

"God grant the conditions in Russia may not prove to be as it has been suggested they may possibly be under certain contingencies. May heaven forbid that the hopes that have been raised by the outburst of liberal sentiment in Russia and the organization with which it so rapidly equipped itself will be blighted, and that we shall find there a serious element of division and of danger.

"But we must plan to see this through. To do that every man, so far as humanly possible, must serve where he is best fitted to serve, and the obligation must be recognized by all to take the place for which their talents, physically and mentally, fit them."

Mr. Hughes appealed for united support for President Wilson. He said that the day of partisanship had passed. He said he was grateful for the leadership which the country now has, and applauded the President's determination to bring about universal service.

Ambassador Domicio da Gama of Brazil, the first speaker of the evening, referred to "these dramatic movements of our international life," and said:

"Brazil is nearly at war." (He was interrupted here by loud applause.) "I belong to a republic that is called in the United States 'the great republic to the south of us,' and that republic is certainly connected with the other republics of America, and more so with the United States, by the closest bonds of more than political—of economic and commercial relations."

Send Troops Now, Says Hughes.

Mr. Hughes said that, personally, he hoped to see an efficient American military unit sent to the French line at the earliest possible date.

"There would be the tremendous advantage," he said, "of receiving first hand information constantly with regard to conditions at the front by which we can develop satisfactorily the force that is being trained at home. In other words, we need information, we need constant information as to conditions at the front."

Mr. Hughes said that England in the future would be ruled by the Englishmen now in the trenches, and that the same would be true in other nations. "If America is to have the respect of the nations of the future and earn it now," he said, "she must earn the respect of the men in the trenches, and the men we send must be men fitted to do their part."

Ambassador Almaro Sato of Japan said:

"If this war has not already produced anything better, it has already created a friendly spirit between your country and mine. And I am sure before very long another of the greatest and oldest countries of the East, your sister Republic of China, may join us in the common cause.

"Gentlemen, this great European struggle has now become in every sense a war of the world and of humanity. Whatever its origin, later developments have shown it to be a war for civilization. America's entry into it gives it that final judgment. The great decision that the people and the Government of this country made last month is admittedly one of the noblest and the most unselfish acts in human history."

The new Minister from Belgium, E. de Cartier de Marchienne, received an ovation when he stepped to the speaker's platform. He spoke of Belgium's former place in commerce, and said that, "like Neboth, we were so prosperous that our neighbor coveted our vineyard. Three years ago that neighbor sought to destroy us and take away our land," he said. "He has killed many of our people; he has robbed our Treasury; he has destroyed our factories; he has dug up and removed some of our railways; he has even enslaved over 100,000 of our artisans—the pride of our race. But he can never enslave nor kill the spirit of the Belgian people.

"We may be 'down,' but we are not 'out,' and we hope at an early date to resume business at the old stand—and on a larger scale than ever."

Mr. Gerard spoke briefly, saying that the only reason he had been speaking at all since his return from Germany was to forward the preparedness movement in this country, and now that Congress had about agreed on conscription he thought he might stop. Referring to the recent attacks on him as a result of the comments he had made on opponents of the measure, the Ambassador said:

"And that reminds me that I have had occasion quite recently to come out and oppose those who were opposing the bill, and I want to say now, because I do not want to be misunderstood at any time and I do not want to hurt any one, that I believe that those who were opposing conscription were of course acting sincerely. But they remind me of the man who hit his wife on the head with the motto on which was embroidered 'God Bless Our Home.'

"And as for the newspaper, The Evening Post, which has opposed that conscription, I have just been sitting at the table with my personal friend, Alexander Noyes, who is one of the principal editors of that organization, and I know that he and Rollo Ogden, the editor, are good, red-blooded Americans, and I hope that from now on Rollo is going to put his hand in the hand of his Uncle Sam and continue the good American work that we first learned from the Rollo Books."

ROOT IS UNFIT, HILLQUIT SAYS.

Russian Socialists, He Adds, Know What Party Here Thinks of Him.

Morris Hillquit, International Secretary for the Socialist Party in the United States, said last night that the Russian Socialists were "thoroughly aware of the estimate of Elihu Root held by the members of the party in this country."

"There is no doubt," he added, "that by the time Mr. Root reaches Petrograd the people of Russia will be informed of his record as a conservative." Mr. Hillquit was asked if the Socialist Party had officially made any report on Mr. Root to the Russian Socialist leaders.

"Not yet," he answered, "but I repeat they will know all about Mr. Root. I can assure you of that. The American Government should realize that if it wishes to curry favor with the Russian people it should send to Russia a man whose calibre is proper. Mr. Root is not that man."

Mr. Hillquit was asked if he thought the action he indicated the Socialist Party might take was not a violation of the law which would prohibit in time of war a citizen's discrediting a representative of his Government.

"As I understand it," he replied, "Mr. Root is not going on a 'war' mission at all. It's merely a friendly call, a sort of neighborly greeting of one country to another—that's all."

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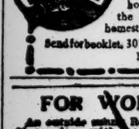
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SYSTEMATIC PREPARATION.

The Senate's promptness in passing again the Army bill, a matter of legislative formality, without unessential amendments, encourages the hope that the conference will not be unduly delayed and the bill will soon be sent to the President. The enactment of this law is the first step in our practical preparation for military operations. Its provisions can be carried out, with such co-operation as the various State Governments promise, so that the assembling of the first contingent of drafted men can begin on Aug. 1. The Governor of New York has wisely decided to postpone the laborious work of making a complete war census of the State, so that the enrollment for selective conscription can be quickly completed. The military authorities of the State and officials of the cities and counties have already begun to make lists of the men subject to the draft. There are more than 600,000 men in this State between the ages of 21 and 27 years, there are approximately 161,000 in New Jersey and 78,000 in Connecticut, a total of 830,000 in these three Eastern States alone, but, of course, many of these will be found legally exempt from military service.

With the co-operation throughout the country as effective as it will be in this neighborhood, however, there should be no difficulty in enrolling the first increment of 500,000 for the reserve army, and training can then proceed continuously until the termination of the war stops the demand for troops. Meanwhile, the labor of increasing the regular army and the National Guard to authorized strength is likely to go forward much more expeditiously. Large numbers of men, finding that military service is compulsory, will elect to serve with State organizations, which will presumably remain intact during the war. The new regulation permitting men to enlist in the guard for the period of the war only will measurably increase its recruiting. The chance of quick advancement in the regular army will appeal to many other men, now that military service has become the common lot. This will be one of the first advantages of the conscription.

Early service of our troops on the fighting line in France is considered desirable by our allies. The appearance of the American flag will hearten the heroic opposers of the Teutonic aggressors. Throughout the country the feeling is growing that we should lose no time in taking an active part in the land operations. The demand is, in short, that in a military way we must do all we can and as quickly as possible. We must prepare with the utmost speed, prepare to make our co-operation effective. That American troops are needed in France and should be dispatched to swell the ranks of the defenders of democracy without needless delay is a fact not disputed by any reasonable citizen. We have entered the war to do our full share, no matter what the cost may be in money or men. But we cannot do our fair share except in a systematic way.

Soldiers cannot be equipped until the Quartermaster's Department has provided the means of equipment, they cannot be properly armed until the Ordnance Department has provided the essential two rifles for each man in service and the needful complement of field guns, machine guns, and ammunition. The delay in mustering into the Federal service so large a part of the National Guard indicates that equipment and supplies are not yet on hand in large quantities.

The troublesome problem of assigning officers to the higher commands must be solved. It is essential that in every branch of the army, as in the navy, such officers should be selected for ability and professional fitness rather than from personal and political considerations such as have led to lamentable complications in three of our previous wars. Much will depend at the outset upon the choice of commanders of corps and divisions. The formation of volunteer divisions, apart from the routine work of getting the regulars in shape and mustering in the enlarged National Guard, will be a difficult matter. Any actual interference with the well-laid plans of the Government is not to be considered for a moment. But there is no excuse for needlessly restraining patriotic ardor expressed in a practical way. With all that has been done in the way of preparation thus far, nobody can say how many elements not yet provided for will be included in our army a year hence. By that time, for instance, we ought to have a serviceable aviation corps. There may also be contingents of American troops of good quality besides those assembled under the new army law.

HARDEN AND DERNBURG.

MAXIMILIAN HARDEN has told the truth to Germany before, but never so openly. He throws off all disguise, all restraint, and tells his country that "the German house" is "an eyesore to the world." It must become a democracy, for "democracy is the word of the hour," the other nations are leaguing themselves in accord with it, and "shall Germany freeze without?" A commentary on HARDEN'S amazing utterances is supplied by the simultaneous publication of Dr. DERNBURG'S speech at Breslau, almost equally frank. Germany has become "an eyesore to the world," HARDEN says, but how? Dr. DERNBURG answers:

> We have delighted ourselves in standing on guard in shining armor in Central Europe, and we have in a fateful hour set ourselves against the general tendencies of a world that desires peace.

"Put the German house in such order that tomorrow it will be habitable," demands HARDEN in Berlin, and DERNBURG says in Breslau, "The new Germany is here and requires its house. Let us build it. Do not let us delay." "Shall Germany freeze without?" asks HARDEN, and DERNBURG supplies the commentary:

> We shall not reach permanent peace if we keep ourselves in that isolation which the war has brought us to and into which, indeed, we had fallen before the war, unknown even to those whose duty it was to have known it.

But HARDEN goes far beyond DERNBURG or any other German when he tells Germany the truth about the way in which America was forced into the war. He dares to say, what the whole outside world knows to be the truth, that the German peace overture was a fraud, put forward to be rejected, so as to make a "bridge over which German many could pass to relentless submarine warfare." He tells Germany that America has not entered the war to get rich, as the Germans have been told, but instead has chosen, for the sake of an ideal, to give up the profits it was making out of the war and burden itself with heavy expenses. He charges his Government with having lied to the President in its official communications.

There may be other voices speaking the truth to Germany. If there are not, there soon will be. The truth is an import that has been blockaded, and it has been a long time running the blockade, but once it gets in it can never be put out again, nor can it be kept in the original package.

KEEP STATE TAXES DOWN.

It would seem that the taxlayers at Albany think that the best time to increase taxes in the State is when the Federal taxes are being increased by the billion. Those who must pay the Federal tax will be of another opinion, and none more certainly so than those upon whom the Federal taxes fall most heavily. New York is the last State in the Union which can endure unnecessary additions to its contributions to war taxation. A tax for a surplus is an unnecessary tax, and that is the sort of budget under preparation at Albany. The State's unavoidable expenses are put at $80,000,000, a sum in itself sufficient to stagger the taxpayers. But it is proposed to collect $94,000,000, because of so many excellent taxes which have not been levied yet.

The direct tax is peculiarly suited to apply in payment of the State's interest and sinking fund requirements. There are merits to that proposal standing by itself. In the opinion of some the State really needs an income tax. But the State can do without one of these theoretically admirable taxes. If it has the direct tax it can get along without the income tax another year. And, not to be invidious, if it has the direct tax it can get along without the tax on corporate income. The opinion of this city is detached upon the merits. It would pay the bulk of either tax, or of both of them. The burden of the direct tax falls unjustly upon the city as compared with the State, but so long as there is a direct tax it gives the city an opportunity to insist that the tax shall be levied more justly, and therefore more to the benefit of the city, than now. On the other hand, the corporate income tax would prejudice the city, because so many of its enterprises would have to pay a tax not laid upon their competitors. There might be an emigration of capital to neighboring States, which New York itself would regret.

It is urged that if both taxes are laid this year, there will be no necessity for the direct tax another year. The surplus estimated to be in sight, if both taxes are laid, is the best argument for relief from one tax or the other this year. The tax not laid this year can be laid with better grace in a year when the Federal taxes are not so burdensome and when the State has a deficit instead of a surplus. It is sure that if the State has a surplus, uses will be found for it. On the other hand, if the State has a deficit of moderate proportions, the taxlayers will calculate more closely. Ordinarily, a deficit is not a good thing to have in the house, but there would be no pangs if one should develop at Albany this year. A deficit is preferable to a tax for a surplus. A deficit always can be cured, but there is no remedy for the payment of taxes without necessity.

We are hearing that a hysteria of economy is undesirable. A hysteria for taxation makes a good pair. The strongest argument for the corporate income tax is that it remedies in some degree the inequities of the direct tax. But if we have both taxes, that argument falls. If the State has a surplus, it will be spent in ways which will attract labor desired in other fields. There are many undertakings desirable in themselves which it is preferable to defer or to reduce to a minimum when there are so many demands for labor for the production of food or war necessities. The State is expanding its activities and its taxes at the worst time ever known.

THE CONSCRIPTION CENSUS.

Governor WHITMAN has shown a constant, intelligent, and active interest in all measures and means of military instruction and training in State and national defense. He continues to merit hearty praise in these regards. For more than a week, under his orders, the military authorities of the State and County and City officers have been working hard to prepare for the Federal Government a census of conscriptibles.

As soon as the Army bill is signed and the President's proclamation for the registration of all men subject to draft has been issued, Governor WHITMAN will order the temporary postponement of the military census of the State. The conscription census, taken in a single day, with the election district as the unit, will be rapid and thorough. Promptly after the registration is completed the War Department will know the number of possible conscripts in the State within the age limits set, the trade, handicraft, business, occupation of each, the number of conscripts with dependents, and so on. A great and necessary task will have been well done.

County Boards of Registration, City Boards of Control, are being organized. Sheriffs and Mayors have been notified. The plan is to enroll the conscriptibles by voting districts, and, so far as possible, at the regular voting places.

The Governor has lost no time in making ready for the enrollment.

DOES NOT AGREE WITH THE PARTY.

There is new proof that the Republican Party is not fairly represented by its Publicity Association, whose President, ex-Senator JONATHAN BOURNE, Jr., occasionally issues proclamations or statements from an office in Washington. In the House debate upon the War Bond bill the party's spokesman and leader was Mr. FORDNEY, ranking Republican member of the Ways and Means Committee, who gave assurance that the Republicans would support not only the pending measure but also the coming bill for new internal taxes. He distinctly opposed revision of the tariff at the present time, although he has been a prominent advocate of protective duties. Revision would involve, he said, a delay of not less than five months. Moreover, abnormal conditions affecting prices, cost of production, and international trade made it impossible now, in his opinion, to get the data required for any revision.

Probably he had on his desk the statement, issued a few days ago, in which his party's Publicity Association drew depressing pictures of the dreadful effect of the present tariff and predicted additional misery in the near future "unless the American people, regardless of party, insist upon immediate action by Congress for the protection of American producers." The association would have the high duties of the Payne-Aldrich law put back without a minute's delay. It is at variance with the Republicans of the House and their tariff leader. Why does the Republican National Committee permit the public to believe that it is willing to maintain and to be misrepresented by a Publicity Association of this blundering kind?

A FATAL ERROR.

PETROGRAD, April 30.—I am in the position to state that the question of the future of Austria is now regarded as one of purely military expediency, even by the most marked anti-Austrian elements here.

It would appear, therefore, that the time has arrived when the Entente might decide on an Austrian policy with the object of procuring a separate peace, with real guarantees for the rights of European nationalities and of the Dual Monarchy. It is recognized here now that such a peace would facilitate the defeat of Germany, and for this reason, and not for love of Austria, modifications of views have taken place.

This dispatch in yesterday's TIMES points to a dangerous ignorance or easy good nature in the Russian elements referred to. In view of the dangling of so many illusive or intentionally deceptive plans or suggestions of peace before the world, invariably with some purpose of propaganda and to the injury of the Allies, this notion of a separate Austrian peace by the Entente with "real guarantees for the rights of European nationalities and of the Dual Monarchy" looks German-stamped. One cannot resist the conclusion that it is of German origin.

There can be no "defeat of Germany" until Austria, her tool and instrument, her corridor to the Orient, is smashed into its component parts. So long as Austria-Hungary continues, so long will it be a continuation of Germany, a part of "the Central Europe" dream.

The Hapsburg monarchy is built on the theory of divine right. The Dual Monarchy is a monstrous composite. A Magyar minority in Hungary, a German minority in Austria, have oppressed the Slav races that are a majority. One of the first necessary steps in securing the rights of "European nationalities" will be to establish, regroup, federate, or autonomize, as their voice shall decide, the Slav nationalities of many names in Austria-Hungary. The Dual Monarchy is a purely artificial arrangement.

Without the emancipation of the majority of the Hapsburg peoples, without the breaking up of Austria-Hungary, the vassal State of Germany, Germany will not be defeated. The future of Austria is much more than a question of military expediency. It is a question vital to the freedom of Europe, to its release from the German nightmare, to the prime common aims of the allied democracies.

FREIGHTS AND FOOD.

The inquiry of the Federal Trade Commission into the food price situation elicited testimony that the high price of wheat was due rather to the lack of transportation than of grain. Dealers testified that there were great quantities in storage which could not be moved to the places where the supply was deficient. In some places wheat is 15 cents a bushel above other places because the cars are lacking to carry grain from where it is cheap to where it is dear. In other words, supply and demand are no longer in normal relation. The man who gets cars can put his own price on wheat. He is selling transportation rather than food.

The rates are fixed by the Interstate Commission, but the price of the grain is fixed by the man who pays the rate. The appearance is that the grain is scarce and dear. The equal truth is that the transportation is scarce, and cannot be increased by raising the rate without an inconvenient interval. It is a mockery now to point to the reduction of the rate, and ask approval for it. Any rate would be paid, and the increase would come off the price of the grain. The railways are not the extortioners. They are not masters of their rates. They raise wages whenever they are told.

The bearing of this testimony upon the movement for the fixing of prices is apparent. It would cheapen grain to supply transportation, on either land or sea. It is idle to decree a price for goods which cannot be moved to consumers. Anybody who now suggests that the profits of the railways are of any interest or importance compared with the excellence of their service would find scant hearing.

Also, although the raising of rates now will better conditions in a year or two, the true time for raising them was some years ago, when the attention of the regulators was preoccupied with scandals affecting less than one-tenth of the railways. The need of the other nine-tenths, and of all who depend upon the railways for transportation, was obscured by undue regard to the reduction of profits and rates. Whatever good was done in that manner is undone by the result now apparent in this crisis. Even yet the rate regulators are not convinced. That is clear from the mental attitude shown yesterday in their statement regarding the rate question. The railways are on their defense. The hungry customers of the railways are overlooked. It is really necessary to light a fire under the commission.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

His Removal Should Be Prompt.

Mayor THOMPSON of Chicago is far from being a person of importance for those who know anything about him. He does occupy, however, as the chosen Chief Executive in one of America's largest and best known cities, a position which, for the large part of the world's population that has heard or will hear only that, if anything, about him, makes it inexpedient to ignore his public expressions of opinion.

As it happens, this remarkable product of municipal politics in Chicago has chosen to reveal that, instead of giving his Government loyal support in the conduct of the war in which it is engaged, he is in a state of contemptuous disagreement with all that it is doing. The distinguished guests to whom it is paying high honor, and with whom it is in more than friendly consultation on subjects of gravest import to the present safety and future welfare of the United States, have been discussed by Mayor THOMPSON with much less than ordinary courtesy, and for the financial and military measures of the Administration and of Congress he has only scorn.

In ordinary times all this could be dismissed as the empty vaporings of a small politician, but these are not ordinary times. The country is at war, and the giving of aid and comfort to its enemies, and attempts to interfere with the carrying out of its carefully chosen plans, constitute crimes for which the law provides prompt and severe punishments. This fact Mayor THOMPSON evidently had forgotten when he characterized the proposal to invite the members of the French mission to Chicago, and there is need for bringing it at once and emphatically to his attention.

A part of the penalty he has earned is already upon him in the discovery that his utterances have no support from the people of Chicago or from the other city officials. It is well that steps have already been taken to determine the exact measure of the Mayor's responsibility for what he said. That he can and will be removed from the office he has disgraced is hardly a matter of doubt, and it should be done immediately, for it is no more tolerable that the French delegates should be barred from Chicago because a man who has insulted them is at the head of its Municipal Government than that when they come he should meet them as the representative of its citizens.

A Teutonic Portrait of Mr. Root.

Evidently the Berlin Tägliche Rundschau employs on its staff an editor who in the true German manner scorns such things as facts when he sits down to write a piece for his paper, and follows the simpler plan of evolving his material from deep within his own inner consciousness. For by no other process could the concept, "Elihu Root," have taken the form it did in his article.

"Let me see," he said to himself in effect, before starting. "The man is an American. He passes, according to dim memories that float through my mind, for a statesman in his immature and uncultured country, but of course he is only a politician, and for his reputation as an orator he can have only the basis of volubility. And didn't he once make a tour somewhere—perhaps to China or South America—as a sort of business promoter? Now I see him clearly!"

And then the able German journalist proceeded to inform the readers of the Tägliche Rundschau that the person whom the United States was going to send to Russia to advise with the revolutionary leaders was one ELIHU ROOT, a sort of General Commercial Traveler, possessing a large mouth, but no positive knowledge on any subject, and capable of delivering only speeches of the sort held eloquent in the wild and woolly West!

That the picture thus drawn is not quite accurate, that it is wrong, indeed, in every detail, is a matter of no particular consequence to the talented artist. It went perfectly with what he wanted to write about the American mission to Russia, and as some instinct probably told him that he would have to write in a wholly different and therefore unsatisfactory way if he consulted other authorities than his inner consciousness in regard to Mr. ROOT, of course he did not take the risk of acquiring the undesirable information.

Such caution has its merits and its rewards. Also its penalties. And it has been displayed, now and then, outside of Germany. But there, and especially since this war began, it has become the regular procedure in discussing foreigners of all sorts.

One Economy Works No Injury.

If the farmers were as a class somewhat more articulate than they are, they would probably be protesting by now with some vehemence that the only form of economy urged without qualification on the people of this country is the economy that will cut down the price of the farmer's products by reducing the demand for them. Against all other manifestations of the desire to save some money for use in what may be the hard days to come we have been warned that thus we would ruin the shopkeepers and turn their employés out to idleness in the streets. But food! A cutting down of expenditures there will be all right!

Yet the farmers are considerably more numerous than the shopkeepers and the manufacturers put together, and the farmer, strange as it must seem to our many advisers, shares the common human liking for big profits on the wares in which he deals and the common human disliking for those who try to cut those profits down when for once he has a chance to even up for his many lean years.

Yet it is a fact that economy in food is at this time safer than any other. For one thing, it will not be carried, except under the sternest compulsion, far enough to have any evil effects, even on the farmers. For another thing, there isn't the slightest chance that, for years to come, the prices of agricultural products will be low, or that there will be any trouble in regard to the farmer's hired men except the trouble of getting enough of them.

The case of the shopkeeper and manufacturer is different, and for it different treatment can fairly be demanded.

A QUESTION FOR THE PUBLIC

Princess Troubetzkoy Propounds an Inquiry About Billy Sunday.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

There is a question that I would like to put to the public, and I would be very grateful if you would enable me to do so.

I will quote verbatim from a report in The Evening World of Billy Sunday's remarks in his "Tabernacle" on the afternoon of Saturday, April 28.

Here is the quotation:

> If Jesus Christ would walk into church today He'd say: "Get out of here, you old lobsters, you old four-flushers; you've been making My house a clearing house for worldliness and you're only a pawn on the devil's chess board."

The question I want to put to the public is this: Does it, or does it not consider the foregoing remarks blasphemous?

In a country where it is considered blasphemous to represent Jesus Christ as speaking in a religious play, no matter how solemnly and reverently He might be represented as speaking, nor what language the greatest poet might invent for Him, how can the people of that country, of America, hear Him described as uttering the vulgar slang of the street and not recoil from the sacrilege?

AMELIE RIVES,
(Princess Pierre Troubetzkoy.)
New York, April 30, 1917.

A Use for the Vaterland.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

As a mark of esteem and friendship on the part of our Republic to the Republic of France, I would suggest that on the completion of the overhauling of the Vaterland she be loaded with 30,000 tons of foodstuff and sent to France with the compliments of the citizens of the United States to the citizens of our sister republic.

Every one of our States should be given a chance to contribute its share, such as meats from Chicago, grain from Kansas City, fresh and dried fruits from Los Angeles and San Francisco, and eggs, butter, and canned products from various other parts of the United States. I think this would be a fitting tribute on our part, and while the giant steamer should be convoyed, I doubt whether the enemy would sink their own ship.

HENRY M. TOCH.
New York, April 30, 1917.

A Visitor Who Became Famous.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

In your article on "Other Visitors" in today's issue of THE TIMES, you have omitted the name of the glorious King Albert of the Belgians, who came here some fifteen years ago, like Edward VII., "to see the country as a part of his education." At that time he was the nephew of the ruler of that obscure little kingdom, which, at the outset of this ultimate effort of barbarism, revealed itself to the world as the incomparable champion of honor, valor, and chivalry.

J. H. de LSY.
Plainfield, N. J., April 28, 1917.

THE NEW WAR CONTRACTS.

Confidential Relations Between the Government and Manufacturers.

New York, April 28, 1917.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

During the last few weeks the Council of National Defense has summoned to Washington several hundred manufacturers. These are the men to whom the Government looks to supply the $7,000,000,000 worth of equipment and supplies which will be required by our new army of one million.

The preconceived idea of these manufacturers in regard to supplying Government wants suffered there a derangement the full import of which many of them do not yet fully comprehend; but it is becoming more and more apparent to them that what transpired at these meetings at Washington portends an innovation in Government buying which is replete with possibilities for both.

The day of the professional Government contractor who, in times past, entered at the back door, but stood first in line when contracts were handed out, is past. The Government expects to deal only with bona fide manufacturers; intermediate profits are eliminated.

The council, by the stand which it has taken, substitutes for the expected fear of the pernicious possibilities of promiscuous competition, which has impelled many firms of standing in the past to sidestep Government contracts, a reciprocal form of agreement whereby the interests of both the buyer and the seller are protected.

Imagine the surprise of these manufacturers upon hearing the Government soliciting them to co-operate, to combine to fix fair prices, to organize for united buying of raw material, to allot quantities, and to do all of those other things which, had they dreamed of doing the last twenty years of trust-baiting and agreement smashing, would have brought them into contact with the courts.

The Council of National Defense realizes very fully the important part which industry plays in the successful prosecution of modern wars; that upon the manufacturers rests the burden of supplying the armentarium for the fighting man.

No one knows better than they that it is equally inhuman and unjust to expose men to danger in war without first seeing that they are provided with every means of protection which modern invention affords and suitable provision for taking care of the salvage of battle.

The Government in taking the manufacturers into its confidence and in intrusting to them the authority to decide upon fair prices, and to organize the most efficient methods for supplying its needs, has stretched out its hand more than half way. The manufacturers in turn are determined to see that this confidence is not abused.

LEON L. WATTERS, Ph.D.,
Chairman Committee on Classes 6 and 9.

McClellan's Mexican Diary.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

In the issue of THE NEW YORK TIMES Magazine of April 15, you publish extracts from a "Hitherto Unpublished Mexican War Diary" kept by General McClellan when he was a young Lieutenant. While experience has taught the value of universal military service, there is no reason to condemn those men of the volunteers, whose service was not without value. Some of these Generals, including General Patterson, had seen service in the regular army almost before the youthful Lieutenant was born. The diary is typical of youthful prejudice and schoolboy criticism; it made entertaining reading (as it always does) for the people at home. In the extracts from letters to General Patterson from regular officers in Mexico these men do not constitute themselves such expert critics of the commanding Generals as the youthful Lieutenant. I should like to call your attention to a statement made in The Chicago Tribune of January 18, 1916, by Captain Henry J. Reilly; speaking of the value of trained leaders, he said: "General Patterson, without military experience, was placed in command of an expedition to Vera Cruz." I sent Captain Reilly a letter throwing some light on affairs in Mexico at that time, and in the issue of The Chicago Tribune following the receipt of my letter, Captain Reilly makes a very handsome retraction. He says:

> "The papers to which you refer show that General Patterson not only held some service in the regular army but also throughout his life was a prominent patriot. I am only too pleased to take the opportunity to give the same publicity to this statement as was given to the erroneous one made Jan. 18 in the article to which you refer."

MARY HUSTON ELENER.
Washington, April 21, 1917.

Mayor Thompson.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Marvelous Mayor Thompson! He is the last word in the expression of the divine rule of politics. I venture to predict that if by some strange freak the German fleet steamed down Lake Michigan and prepared to bombard Chicago the august Mayor would quickly hie himself to the North Side and confer with his henchmen in the German wards before a single shot could be fired against the invaders.

I have known Mayor Thompson for years. I have listened reverently to his public utterances for years. He is one of those eternal mysteries. Why they come or why they stay I know not. Since he settled that street car strike (if he really did it) there's been no holding him down. The saucy statements of his City Council will not squelch him.

FELIX ORMAN.
New York, April 29, 1917.

The Answer to Britain's Call.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

I read with great interest the letter of Alfred Rose on the question of the young Britons here who are keeping out of the war. He says he personally knows of only one who responded to the old lion's roar, and this was R. L. Cuthbert, a brother in the profession. I think Mr. Rose's statement is entirely misleading and gives a false idea of the situation. As Treasurer of the St. George's Society of New York I know that we have many members who are at the front; also in my own office we have had a number who have answered Britain's call, some of whom have made the "great sacrifice." In justice to these men I mention the foregoing, and would add that there is no doubt that many similar reports of responses to the call can be given.

RUPERT S. HUGHES.
New York, April 25, 1917.

THE WELCOME CALL.

Out of a chaos of divided thought,
Into the singleness of one high aim,
Have we been led at last; and with the flame
Of sacrificial fires our souls are fraught.
Not without travail have we thus been brought
By our sure pilot's hand, past shoals of shame
And hidden reefs that threatened our good name,
To Honor's haven, where bright deeds are wrought.
But now we stand in company with men
And own a common foe, a common cause
With those who bear the battle valiantly.
Then let us prove our birthright once again
And cast our all into the scale, nor pause
Till our young freedom sees old Europe free!

REGINALD McINTOSH CLEVELAND.

THE RIGHT TO CONFISCATE GERMAN SHIPS.

Their Use by the German Government Is Held to Remove Them From the Realm of Private Property.

By N. SUMNER MYRICK.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

A great deal of misapprehension seems to exist in the administrative and lay mind, and the legal mind as well, respecting the ultimate disposition of the German merchant ships recently seized by the Government. Various persons who, from their general or special knowledge of international law, may be assumed to speak with a certain degree of authority, have contributed by their writings to the pervading confusion upon the subject. One of these wrote two months or more ago that it was inconceivable that our Government would even seize the German ships, much less confiscate them, while a recent contributor to THE TIMES gravely questions whether the German Government's misconduct toward us does not justify the repudiation of Article XXIV. of the Prussian Treaty of 1799 and subsequent treaties, which provide that "if war should arise between the two contracting parties, the merchants of either country then residing in the other shall be allowed to remain nine months to collect their debts and settle their affairs," &c., as though that had the slightest bearing upon the question! This writer concludes that the ships are actually hostile property and may be confiscated, but assumes that the United States will pay to the owners whatever compensation may be hereafter determined to be justly due.

But compensation is never given for hostile property; it is only property that preserves intact and undiminished its character of private property for which compensation is given when seized by an enemy.

Professor Albert Bushnell Hart of Harvard, who wrote an interesting article about the status of these ships in the event of war, which was published in the Sunday edition of THE TIMES on the first day of the current month, makes copious extracts from the three treaties negotiated between Prussia and the United States, now known as the German treaties, and various observations upon them that are extremely interesting to read in view of the existing relations between the two countries. Only once, however, does he approach what lawyers term the "nub of the case," and that is when he ventures to suggest that it is a fair question whether the ships might not be seized without payment, on the ground that they had been deliberately used in a manner hostile to the United States while the two countries were at peace; that the owners were accepting orders from overseas which were contrary to the peace of our ports and which were intended to weaken our Government in case of war.

Others there are who in striving to walk straight in the matter bend backward, and to justify themselves revert to the well-established policy of our Government respecting the seizure of enemy private property on the sea regardless of the fact that our Government in formulating its policies never contemplated existing circumstances. Concerning this phase of the subject it may be said that it is true the United States has invariably supported the practice among nations of permitting belligerent merchant ships a reasonable time in which to leave port after a declaration of war; that it has uniformly stood for the principle that private enemy property at sea, unless contraband, should be immune from capture equally with similar property on land, and that it has always been in advance of other maritime nations, at The Hague and elsewhere, in respect to these questions. Therefore it may be assumed that under what might be termed normal circumstances our Government would be precluded from enforcing confiscation; but the circumstances of the case presented by these German ships are not only unusual, they are without parallel in the history of international relations. Certainly nothing is to be found in the text books that will modify this statement.

These ships sought asylum from their enemies in the ports of the United States, as they were fully justified in doing, but they did so upon the understanding that their crews would demean themselves as they would in peace times, and, in addition, be prepared to obey any proper and lawful orders that our Government might enforce against them and the ships, even to compelling them to leave our waters under safe convoy. The instant they committed an infraction of this understanding the ships were in a way to lose their right to immunity from confiscation in the event of war between Germany and the United States. In one way and another it has been made apparent that at least some of the ships have been used for the propagation of sentiments unacceptable to the generality of our citizens, some of them as headquarters for the manufacture and distribution of machines of destruction to be used against nationalities with whom the United States was at peace, involving at the same time loss of life to citizens of the United States, and for numerous other unneutral purposes. A Government less inclined than ours to refrain from severe measures during the last two years would have seized these ships and interned, or shipped home, their crews months ago.

If the case stopped here it might well be claimed that, admitting the right to sequester, nothing in it justified the extreme measure of confiscation, but as to the recital of justifying circumstances there is much more to be said.

A large, if not the larger, number of these ships were built with a view to their conversion into warships by simply mounting guns, and they were manned by naval reserve crews. In other words, they were potential or quasi-war vessels, and, it is fair to assume, if lost, or destroyed at sea or confiscated anywhere as a result of orders of the German Government, that Government would be bound to compensate their owners. It appears from evidence brought out in the Admiralty action against the Cecilie in Boston, and the fact has been otherwise substantiated, that these ships from the very first day they entered our ports were, generally speaking, under the control of their home Government, and at practically no time were they in the category of peaceful merchant ships under exclusive control of their owners. Finally, there came a day when orders were received to destroy the machinery of these ships, and doubtless to destroy the ships themselves if reasonable opportunity permitted, since one of them was purposely sunk in Charleston Harbor. These orders emanated, not from their owners, but from the German Government, and they were obeyed, in accordance with naval discipline. Further, these orders were issued and the destruction that followed was effected as war measures—at least the orders and their execution were in anticipation of war and became hostile acts upon a declaration of war, and thereupon subjected the vessels to confiscation as enemy public property. Their status is that of private property on land commandeered for military purposes that an enemy may capture and destroy. The same situation would arise in case of any German privately owned property in this country that was about to be destroyed by order of the German Government to prevent its use by our Government or its citizens.

The limitations of a newspaper article do not permit of a complete statement of the case for confiscation. Suffice it that the right to confiscate is conceded by many of the best authorities on international law in this country, who have viewed the subject from the standpoint here presented, and doubtless has been conceded by the Germans among themselves.

N. SUMNER MYRICK.
Boston, April 20, 1917.

BISHOP LAYS CORNERSTONE.

Work on St. Bartholomew's New $3,000,000 Home Formally Begun.

Three hundred members of St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church attended the laying of the cornerstone of the new church building at Park Avenue and Fifty-first Street yesterday afternoon. Bishop David H. Greer, who, though ill, officiated, and Dr. Leighton Parks, the rector, made short addresses. The new edifice will cost $3,000,000, and will be constructed of Indiana limestone. It will be cruciform, with transepts, balconies, and a series of galleries, and will seat 1,488, with additional accommodations in the chapel adjacent.

Bishop Greer commended the work of the 2,000 members of the church, who in less than two months gave the necessary $1,000,000 with which the work was begun. In the cornerstone he placed a Bible, an Episcopal Prayer Book, a photograph of the church plans, a history of the church, a copy of the Journal of the General Episcopal Convention held last year in St. Louis, coinage of 1917 from a cent to a $20 gold piece, and a collection of sermons written when he was the church's rector. Others who officiated were Dr. Charles L. Slattery, Dr. Ernest M. Stires, and Dr. Henry Lubeck. Those who braved the rain to attend the ceremonies included Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mrs. E. R. Gould, Henry Lewis Morris, William H. Butterworth, Bertram G. Goodhue, William W. Appleton, William B. Osgood Field, John Morgan Wing, P. A. S. Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. James Warren Lane, and William Armstrong Greer, son of the Bishop.

DOCTORS FOR PROHIBITION.

Clinical Society Would Put the Lid On During the War.

Special to The New York Times.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 1.—A movement for prohibition because of the entry of the United States into the war was begun today at the annual meeting of the American Society for Clinical Investigation, at which Dr. Haven Emerson, Health Commissione of New York City, presided. This resolution was adopted:

> "In the critical condition of the world's food supply we consider it desirable that the manufacture of alcoholic beverages and their importation into this country be prohibited for the duration of the war and for one year thereafter."

Dr. George Blumer of New York was elected President, Dr. E. P. Joslyn of Boston Vice President, Dr. Clifford Hess of New York Treasurer, and Dr. W. W. Palmer of New York Secretary.

NEW CHINESE MINISTER.

Li Ching-shi Takes Finance Portfolio—His Predecessor Removed.

PEKING, China, May 1.—The Chinese Parliament today approved of the appointment of Li Ching-shi as Minister of Finance.

Chen Chin-tao, the former Chinese Minister of Finance, was removed from office early in November, after having been charged with receiving a bribe in connection with the smelting of brass coins into ingots.

GEN. BELL IN COMMAND AT GOVERNORS ISLAND

After Salute of 13 Guns He Receives Officers of the Eastern Department.

Major Gen. J. Franklin Bell assumed command of the Eastern Department of the Army yesterday. He landed at Governors Island shortly after 1 o'clock in the afternoon, when a Major General's salute of thirteen guns was fired. This was the only ceremony marking the change of command from General Wood to General Bell.

General Bell was accompanied by his aids, Captains George C. Marshall, Ewing E. Booth, and J. B. Murphy. Shortly after he arrived at the headquarters building on Governors Island the staff officers, the officers of the Twenty-second Infantry, and those on special duty went to the headquarters building. The General, in answer to their good wishes, assured them of his pleasure in coming to New York, and said he was certain that the department would continue to work as smoothly and efficiently as in the past.

As soon as General Bell was settled in his office he announced the members of his staff. They are Colonel George T. Bartlett, Chief of Staff; Colonel John P. Finley, Officer in Charge of Militia Affairs; Colonel William A. Simpson, Adjutant General; Colonel Thomas Q. Donaldson, Inspector General; Colonel Orin B. Mitcham, Ordnance Officer; Colonel Harry Taylor, Engineer Officer; Colonel Charles Richard, Surgeon General; Colonel Frank L. Dodds, Judge Advocate General.

The General also reappointed as assistants in the office charged with the organization of military training camps, Captain Philip Mathews, Captain C. L. Rockwell, Captain Ralph M. Parker, and Lieutenant Charles C. Griffith. Other officers detailed to staff duty at headquarters are Lieut. Col. A. C. Blunt, Captain L. A. Dewey, and Captain R. E. McKinney.

General Wood, when he passes through New York tomorrow afternoon on his way to Charleston from Boston, where he has been winding up department business, is expected to confer with General Bell. Major Halstead Dorey and Captain R. B. Lee of General Wood's staff, who are still at Governors Island, will leave for Charleston before the end of the week.

One of the last acts of General Wood before leaving was to approve formally the plan for a preparedness parade of the Public Schools Athletic League to be held Decoration Day. Approval was conveyed in a letter to General George W. Wingate, President of the league. Forty thousand schoolboy athletes are to march and they will be reviewed by the G. A. R.

As Commander of the Eastern Department General Bell will have supervision over the officers' training camps at Plattsburg, Madison Barracks, Fort Niagara, and Fort Myer. He will probably make a tour of those camps in the near future.

GENEVIEVE BUTLER WEDS IN CATHEDRAL

Daughter of James Butler Married to Walter Elliot Travers by Bishop Hayes.

1,200 AT NUPTIAL MASS

Bride's Sister the Matron of Honor and Bridegroom's Brother Best Man—Honeymoon in Virginia.

The wedding of Miss Genevieve Butler, daughter of James Butler, and Walter Elliot Travers of this city, was celebrated at 11 o'clock yesterday in St. Patrick's Cathedral. About twelve hundred guests attended the nuptial high mass, the bridal party walking down the nave festooned with white roses and ascension lilies.

Owing to the indisposition of Cardinal Farley, Bishop Hayes performed the ceremony. The mass was sung by Mgr. Guidan, rector of the Church of the Blessed Sacrament. Mgrs. Mooney, Edwards, Lavelle, and Chadwick assisted in the celebration of the mass.

The bride, who walked with her father, wore a robe of white satin with a Court train of tulle and lace depending from the shoulders. Over this fell the veil of rare old family lace, fastened to the coiffure by sprays of orange blossoms. Her ornaments were a string of pearls, the gift of her father, and a diamond brooch, a present from the bridegroom. She carried a shower bouquet of white orchids and lilies of the valley.

Mrs. D. Philip MacGuire acted as her sister's matron of honor. She wore a gown of blue satin and tulle, with a hat of yellow tulle, topped with bird of paradise. She carried a bouquet of yellow Iris.

The other attendants included Mrs. James Butler, Jr., the bride's sister-in-law; Mrs. J. Byran Creamer, Mrs. George Roe, and the Misses Elsie Kennedy, Tamire Pannacci, and Browne Johnson, the latter from Baltimore, Md. They wore frocks of similar design to the matron of honor, of yellow satin and tulle, with matching hats of blue, and carried bouquets of corn flowers.

James P. Travers was his brother's best man, and the ushers included James Butler, Jr., Pierce and William Butler, brothers of the bride; Dr. D. Philip MacGuire, Leo Travers, Frederick Cavanaugh, Jr., and Joseph B. Reilly.

After the ceremony at the Cathedral a reception was held at the Butler residence, 230 West Seventy-second Street, the guests here numbering 800.

Mr. Travers and his bride left later for the Virginia Hot Springs. They will reside in New York on their return.

Mrs. Travers was graduated from the Georgetown Visitation Convent in Washington. Mr. Travers is a broker and a cousin of Jerome Travers, the golfer.

JAMES B. SCOTT MARRIES.

Baltimore & Ohio Agent Weds Miss Peggy Landers, Former Actress.

James Britton Scott, General Eastern Passenger Agent of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, and Miss Peggy Landers of 490 Riverside Drive, were married yesterday in the private chambers of Judge John V. McAvoy of the City Court. Robert N. Simpson acted as best man.

The bride retired from the stage about five years ago. She appeared with Robert Edeson, and was in "Beauty and the Beast" and other productions.

MISS MITCHELL WEDS JUNE 2.

Attendants for Her Marriage to De Coursey Fales in Bernardsville.

The marriage of Miss Dorothy Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Blair Mitchell of Pennbrook House, Far Hills, N. J., and De Coursey Fales will take place on Saturday afternoon, June 2, at Bernardsville, N. J., in the little Church of St. Bernard. A reception will follow at the bride's home.

Miss Virginia Mitchell is to be her sister's maid of honor, and the Misses Urling Sibley, Jane Morgan, Emily Winthrop, and Helen Turnbull are to be the bridesmaids.

Halliburton Fales, Jr., will be his brother's best man. The ushers will include Clarence V. S. Mitchell, Anderson Dana, Paul Chapin, Charles De Rham, and H. Gallatin Pell, all of New York; John Sweetser, De Ford Beal, Frederic Cunningham, and George Putnam of Boston, and Spencer Ervin of Philadelphia.

Mr. Fales is a son of Halliburton Fales of 105 East Seventy-second Street. Miss Mitchell's father is a member of the law firm of Choate, Larocque & Mitchell of 40 Wall Street.

Miss Friend to Wed Prof. Mendel.

The engagement of Miss Alice R. Friend of Milwaukee, Wis., to Professor Lafayette B. Mendel has been announced. Mr. Mendel is Professor of Physiological Chemistry at Yale University and a member of the National Academy of Sciences and the Graduate Club of New Haven. No date has been set for the wedding.

Celebrate A. S. Freidus's Birthday.

Dr. George Alexander Kohut gave a dinner last night at his home, 302 West Eighty-seventh Street, in honor of A. S. Freidus. The celebration marked the fiftieth birthday of Mr. Freidus and his twentieth year as chief librarian of the Jewish division of the New York Public Library.

The possibilities of Palestine becoming the centre of Jewish culture, in the march of events, was one of the principal subjects of the informal talks given at the dinner.

Among the guests were the Rev. De Sola Mendes, Dr. S. Singer, Herman Bernstein, Professor Keogh of Yale, Judge Sulzberger of Philadelphia, Abram S. Schomer, Dr. Fishberg, Joseph Barondess, the Rev. Dr. Stephen S. Wise, Jacob Schiff, George Dobsevage, and Peter Wiernik.

RALLIES AT A. LEWISOHN'S.

400 Suffragists Hear Speeches—Appeal for Poland in Afternoon.

There were two large assemblies yesterday at the home of Adolph Lewisohn, 881 Fifth Avenue. In the afternoon a talk by Mme. Laura de Gozdawa-Turczynowicz, author of "When the Prussians Came to Poland," attracted a gathering of about 300, in connection with the work of Polish reconstruction.

Last night more than 400 people came at Mr. Lewisohn's invitation to attend a patriotic meeting, held under the auspices of the New York City Committee of the National Woman's Party.

Both meetings were held in the Louis XV. ballroom, and the gathering last evening taxed the capacity of the ballroom. The Federal suffarge amendment, for the passage of which the national party is working hard, was displayed on a banner over the platform, amid festoons of the Stars and Stripes. Spirited speeches in favor of the cause were made by Mr. Lewisohn, Miss Maude Younger of California, and Miss Alice Carpenter. Henry Moskowitz, Civil Service Commissioner of New York, spoke on the war of democracy and Russia. Miss Julia Marlowe recited.

When an appeal for contributions was made by Miss Younger, Mr. Lewisohn pledged $100, also Miss Marlowe, who passed through the assembly with a collection basket, which was quickly filled. Patriotic songs followed the speakers.

The patronesses, the majority of whom were present, included Mrs. Philip M. Lydig, Mrs. Sidney Borg, Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, Mrs. John W. Brannan, Mrs. Winthrop Burr, Mrs. James Byrne, Mrs. Lewis L. Delafield, Mrs. E. Tiffany Dyer, Mrs. Maitland Griggs, Mrs. E. H. Hooker, Mrs. Frederick C. Howe, Mrs. Marcus M. Marks, Mrs. George D. Pratt, Mrs. Kiliaen Van Rensselaer, and Mrs. Oscar Straus.

Keen interest was aroused by the speaker in the afternoon by her brilliant talk. The committee for Mme. de Turczynowicz of Polish Reconstruction was made up of Mrs. C. Lorillard Spencer, Miss Anita Lawrence, Mrs. Reginald de Koven, Mrs. W. B. Beekman, Miss Alice Preston, Miss Elizabeth H. Packard, George Foster Peabody, Herbert L. Satterlee, Mayhew J. Wainwright, the Rev. Dr. Selden Peabody Delany, Edward J. Horsman, Wade Chance, W. Kirkpatrick Brice, Edwin S. Kelly, and Mrs. M. Reid Cory.

PLAYLETS AID "THE REST."

Society Patronizes Benefit at the Ritz for Fresh Air Home.

An entertainment held yesterday afternoon at the Ritz-Carlton for "The Rest," the fresh air home run by the Church of the Heavenly Rest, netted several thousand dollars for that charity, the ten boxes alone bringing in $1,000.

The program included two clever playlets, "Such a Charming Young Man," by Zoe Atkins, played by members of "The Man Who Came Back" company, including Henry Hull, and also Mrs. Herbert Shipman, the wife of the rector of the Heavenly Rest.

The second number was Clifford Walker in piano monologues, ranging from grave to gay, which were generously applauded.

The second playlet was a detective bit with thrills and a punch, and entitled "At Night All Cats Are Gray." Henry Hull was the Man and Fay Bainter the Woman. The scene was laid in a collector's curio room.

Those present, nearly all of whom took boxes, were Mrs. Reginald Vanderbilt, Mrs. James B. Haggin, Mrs. Hamilton Fish, Mrs. James H. Kidder, Mrs. William Disston, Mrs. James Lowell Putnam, Mrs. Lyttleton Fox, Mrs. Edson Bradley, Mrs. A. J. Drexel Biddle, Mrs. J. Philip Benkard, Mrs. Charles M. MacNeil, Mrs. Preston P. Satterwhite, Mrs. Joseph Earle Stevens, Mrs. Angier B. Duke, Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs, Mrs. A. F. Kountze, Mrs. Allen G. Wellman, Mrs. Clarence G. Campbell, Mrs. Bernard M. Baruch, Mrs. E. N. Breitung, Miss Lota Robinson, and Miss Maria de Barril.

Hickman-Gilbert Wedding June 2.

The wedding of Miss Mary Frances Gilbert, daughter of Mrs. Riley Miles Gilbert of this city, and Edwin Norman Hickman will take place on June 2 in the chantry of St. Thomas's Church. The reception will be held at the home of the bride's mother, 563 Park Avenue. Mr. Hickman is a son of Mrs. James Hickman of New York.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

The presentation of the three new Barrie plays announced for next Monday night at the Empire has bene postponed until the following Monday, because of the delay in the arrival of the manuscript of "The Old Lady Shows Her Medals." The play was sent from London several weeks ago, but was held up en route.

Nora Bayes will begin an engagement at the Thirty-ninth Street Theatre next Sunday night. Her entertainment will be similar to the one she gave recently at the Eltinge.

Richard Silvester will deliver his illustrated lecture on "Community Drama and Open Air Theatres" tomorrow night in the Actors' Fund Home for the entertainment of the veteran actors and actresses who live there.

Julia Arthur is preparing for vaudeville a patriotic sketch by Roland Burke Hennesy called "Liberty Aflame." The sketch is said to deal with current problems vital to the nation's welfare.

Walter Catlett, who was last seen here in "So Long, Letty," has been engaged by Florenz Ziegfeld for the new "Follies."

"The Skeleton" is the title of a new play by Frederic Truesdell, the actor, which Oliver Morosco has accepted for production. It will be produced in Los Angeles late this month. Mr. Morosco has engaged Dainty Marie for "What Next?"

Although the new "Midnight Frolic" has to begin a half hour earlier than formerly to allow the New Amsterdam Roof to live up to the Mayor's new closing regulations, the entertainment has not been abridged in any respect.

Lucien Muratore, the French tenor of the Chicago Opera Company, who is now in New York, is threatened with appendicitis and is unable to fill his engagements in South America. His physicians, Dr. Charles F. A. Locke and Dr. C. C. Coryelle, have forbidden him to travel.

Music Notes.

Artur Bodansky will hold a general rehearsal in Carnegie Hall this morning at 9:30 o'clock for the concert of Ernest Bloch's compositions, to be given Thursday evening by the Society of Friends of Music. An orchestra of 100 players will assist, and Mr. Bloch will conduct his symphony, "Israel."

The Columbia University Orchestra will give a concert at Earl Hall on the campus this evening with Germaine Schnitzer as piano soloist. The directors of the musical Faculty are Cornelius Rubner and Daniel Gregory Mason, and the conductor tonight is Herbert Dittler.

Newark's music festival opened last night in the First Regiment Armory with a house sold out for John McCormack. Tonight another great audience is to hear, for the first time in the vicinity of New York, the new coloratura soprano of the Chicago opera, Mme. Galli-Curci.

ADMITS MRS. M'GEE AS BRADY CLAIMANT

Surrogate Fowler Hears Argument on Her Disputed Status as Niece.

TO TRACE PROOF IN IRELAND

Brother and Other Relatives of "Diamond Jim" Fight to Prevent Complications.

The contest of the will of James Buchanan ("Diamond Jim") Brady by his brother, Daniel M. Brady, to whom $100 was bequeathed, and his sister, Mrs. Harriet Mathieu, beneficiary of a trust fund of $25,000 under the will, began yesterday after Surrogate Fowler had heard an application by counsel for Mrs. Mary McGee of Brooklyn, to be made a party to the probate proceedings on the ground that her mother, the late Mrs. Mary O'Neil, was a half-sister of Brady. Announcement of the contest by the brother and sister was made by Lyttleton Fox of O'Brien, Boardman, Harper & Fox, in the course of his argument on Mrs. McGee's application. The will left the bulk of the estate of about $4,000,000 to the Society of New York Hospital to establish the James Buchanan Brady Urological Institute.

Mrs. McGee, through her attorney, Frank E. Hipple, filed the application because Brady's brother and sister both stated that they did not know her and had no knowledge that she was an heir at law. For this reason Gifford, Hobbs & Beard, attorneys for the estate, declined to issue a citation to Mrs. McGee. When the case was called yesterday Mr. Hipple began to state his grounds for making the application in Mrs. McGee's behalf. Surrogate Fowler then asked counsel for the estate why she should not be permitted to intervene. Counsel then presented statements by Daniel M. Brady and Mrs. McArdle, "Diamond Jim's" aunt on his mother's side, contesting the claim of relationship. Mr. Fox, for the brother and sister, stated that since they had decided to contest the will, Mrs. McGee could offer her proof of relationship after the will was broken, if that should be done. He said evidence would be sought in Ireland concerning the early life of James Buchanan Brady's father, John Brady, and his wife, Mrs. Mary McNamara Brady, which would prove or disprove Mrs. McGee's claim.

Surrogate Fowler ruled that Mrs. McGee could join the contest now. Mr. Fox stated that the proof to be adduced at the trial would be based chiefly on the alleged incompetency of Brady to make his will last January. He declined to state whether "Diamond Jim's" love for jewels and other peculiarities would figure in the case.

Richard C. Crowley, Brady's secretary and one of the executors under his will, stated in an affidavit that he called on Mrs. McArdle and discussed with her the alleged relationship of the late Mrs. O'Neil. Mrs. McArdle told him she never heard Mrs. O'Neil claim relationship, but that Mrs. O'Neil always referred to "Diamond Jim" as "Mr. Brady," and said that if it had not been for him she would have been sent to the poorhouse. Mrs. McArdle also said that when she heard of Mrs. O'Neil's death and learned that her family had no money for burial expenses, she told Brady it would be a charitable thing for him to pay for the burial. She said he replied: "I do not see how I am under any obligation, for I have never seen the woman. Why does not her family look after her funeral?" Mrs. McArdle said she replied that the family was "worthless," and that Brady had an opportunity to perform a charitable act. For this reason, she said, he paid the expenses.

CONTEST COL. PARKER'S WILL

Relatives Say Tearing Out Page Invalidates Entire Document.

The will of Colonel James Vandenbergh Parker, active in New York society for three generations, who died at 238 Madison Avenue on Jan. 11 last, was contested in the Surrogates' Court by his relatives yesterday on the ground that he mutilated it by tearing out the page on which he left his Newport villa, Sans Souci, to Mrs. Evelyn Kimball Richmond, wife of Harold A. Richmond of Provincetown, Mass. Mrs. Richmond has already declined the bequest because she recognized that Colonel Parker's action indicated that he intended to revoke it.

The contest was filed by Louis C. Wildbank of New York City and Louis S., Harry S., and Martha S. Vandenbergh of Rochester, cousins of the decedent, who contend that since the decedent mutilated the will in attempting to revoke the bequest to Mrs. Richmond he destroyed the entire document. Colonel Parker left an estate estimated at $2,000,000.

HENRY B. WHEATLEY DEAD.

British Author Was Once President of Bibliographical Society.

LONDON, May 2.—Henry Benjamin Wheatley, a prominent British author, died Monday. He was born in 1838 in Chelsea.

After his education, which was had privately, Henry Benjamin Wheatley became Clerk to the Royal Society in 1861. In 1879 he was appointed Assistant Secretary of the Society of Arts, and later filled the same position to the British Royal Commission Section of the Chicago Exposition in 1893. He was the Honorary Secretary of the Early English Text Society, President of the Samuel Pepys Club, Prior of the Johnson Club, and President of the Bibliographical Society in 1911, as well as a member of many other organizations.

He was the author of "Anagrams," published in 1862; "Round About Piccadilly and Pall Mall," 1870; "What Is an Index?" 1878; "Samuel Pepys and the World He Lived In," 1880; "The Story of London," "Pepys's Diary," "Ben Jonson's Every Man in His Humour," and many other books.

TAKES PIER FROM COMPANY.

Dock Commissioner Smith Says It Was Charging 800 Per Cent. Profit.

The new city pier at the foot of Thirty-fifth Street, South Brooklyn, which had been leased to the Luckenbach Steamship Company of 44 Whitehall Street, was seized by Dock Commissioner Smith at 10 o'clock yesterday morning and turned over to the Federal Government an hour later. Details of marines and sailors under Lieutenant Olsen and Commander Williams, respectively, formally took possession. In explanation of his action the Dock Commissioner issued this statement:

Flagrant violations of covenants against subleasing by the tenant, the Luckenbach Steamship Company, made it possible for the Commissioner to take immediate possession. The action of the Commissioner accomplishes two very important objects: It places the Government in possession of the finest freight pier in the harbor of New York, 1,740 feet in length and 175 feet in width, and it is the first step in putting a stop to speculation in city pier leases, to the financial detriment of the city and to the direct and serious injury of the commerce of the entire nation.

At a time when the President is appealing for united support it was peculiarly unfortunate that certain interests in control of pier accommodations through leases from the city should endeavor to take advantage of the pressing needs of the United States and her allies. In the Luckenbach case the Commissioner discovered that subleases were being made upon the basis of 800 per cent. profit. He has determined, so far as legally possible, to obtain reasonable rates and proper accommodation for the nation's commerce as a measure of preparedness and support to the Federal Government in the great work which it has undertaken. The Commissioner intends his action as a warning to tenants of city property that he will use his legal powers to the fullest extent in the prevention of subleases at extortionate rates and without the city's consent, as required in the leases.

At the offices of the Luckenbach Company it was denied that the pier had been sublet or the contract with the city violated in any way. The Navy Department wanted the pier, the officials of the line continued, and they just took it. The company's lease was for thirty years and the pier had only just been completed.

NEUTRALITY A FORMALITY.

Brazilian Government to Leave Action in Matter to Congress.

RIO JANEIRO, April 30. (Delayed.)—It is explained in official circles here that the Brazilian Government's declaration of neutrality in the war between the United States and Germany is a pure formality, intended to set forth exactly on the eve of the meeting of Congress Brazil's position.

As Brazil has merely broken off relations with Germany and is not in a state of war with that country, it is explained, she could not fail to make the conflict between the United States and Germany the subject of a declaration of neutrality in conformity with diplomatic usages. However, in view of the tense situation between Brazil and Germany and the approaching meeting of Congress, which will be called upon to decide this situation, a Presidential decree enjoins upon the Brazilian authorities the observance of neutrality "so long as they are not given orders to the contrary."

In his next message to Congress the President will declare that he acted in the case of the steamship Parana to the limit of his constitutional powers, leaving to Congress the initiative in other measures which might be judged more expedient or necessary.

Obituary Notes.

OWEN KELLY, 68 years old, a resident of Brooklyn for nearly fifty years and a member of Concord Council, No. 9, C. B. L., died on Monday at his home, 349 Warren Street.

PRENTICE RANSOM GOODRICH, formerly in the insurance business in the West, died yesterday at his home, 170 South Oxford Street, Brooklyn, aged 53 years. He left a widow.

GEORGE F. GIBSON, 69 years old, bookkeeper for Shuttleworth, Keiller & Co., and a member of Fern Council, R. A., died on Sunday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Walter E. Shuttleworth, Ninety-ninth Street and Shore Road, Bay Ridge.

ALEXANDER McLEAN, in the plumbing and contractors' supply business, died at his home, 251 Harrison Street, Brooklyn, on Sunday, in his sixty-third year.

Mrs. ELLEN M. DILLON, widow of Captain John G. Dillon, died in her forty-fifth year, on Monday, at her home, 463 Tompkins Avenue, Brooklyn.

WILLIAM E. WALZ, manager of Walz's Hotel in Glendale, owned by his mother, died on Sunday, Aged 30 years.

Mrs. ELLEN H. REESE KEEN, wife of Theodore M. Keen, a manufacturer of sporting goods, died at her home, 435 Harman Street, Brooklyn, on Sunday. She was 73 years old.

Mrs. AGNES HANSON, 68 years old, died on Monday in the Swedish Hospital. She is survived by three sons, Charles A. Hanson, attached to the Fire Prevention Bureau of the New York Fire Department; William T., manager of The Medical Journal, and Peter B. Hanson, counsel to Sheriff Riegelmann.

Mrs. MARY ELIZABETH FITZGERALD, wife of John Fitzgerald, a commercial artist, died at her home, 252 Greene Avenue, Brooklyn, on Monday.

ADOLPH P. ARNHEITER, for twenty years chief baker of Coney Island, died from heart disease on Saturday at his home, 1,907 Mermaid Avenue, Coney Island. He was 50 years old. Mr. Arnheiter was a member of the Coney Island Board of Trade, the Mardi Gras Association, the Brooklyn Lodge of Elks, and of Coney Island Lodge, Knights of Pythias.

Dr. ALEXANDER M. STEWART, 69 years old, a dentist, died at his home in Cedarhurst, L. I., on Monday. He was graduated from the Pennsylvania Dental College, and had practiced dentistry for forty-seven years. He left a daughter and three sons, Dr. Guy A. Stewart, Dr. William J. Stewart, and Jonas A. Stewart.

ANDREW J. BOOTH, former Captain Jersey City police, died yesterday. He was 47 years old.

Mrs. ANN B. BENNETT, widow of Charles Bennett, died yesterday in Orange, N. J. She was 75 years old.

JOHN S. JONES, employed in the Sapphire Department of the Thomas A. Edison plant, died last night in his thirty-ninth year.

Dr. FRANK W. FRENCH, a dentist of Plainfield, N. J., died on Monday night. He was graduated from the New York College of Dentistry in 1900. He was an Elk and Mason.

HERMAN E. HIBBARD, proprietor of the Bryant and Stratton Commercial School at Boston, died yesterday at Newton, Mass.

FRANK ERDLE, a former professional athlete, died yesterday at the Hackensack Hospital, Hackensack, N. J., in his forty-sixth year.

CHARLES H. PHELAN, manager of the New York branch office of the Aetna Life Insurance Company, died yesterday in Brooklyn.

FREDERICK K. JONES, treasurer of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, died yesterday. He was a silversmith.

GEORGE J. THOMPSON, a manufacturer of machinery, whose office was in the Hudson Terminal Building, died Monday. He was 45 years old.

JOHN ARTHUR JAMES, racehorse owner and a friend of the late King Edward VII. of England, died yesterday at Octon, House, Rugby. He was 64 years old.

Mrs. ALICE VANDEVENTER DENNIS, 48 years old, widow of Chester B. Dennis of Plainfield, N. J., died there yesterday.

WILLIAM H. DAVIDOW, a member of the firm of William H. Davidow Sons, Inc., died on Sunday at his home, 202 Riverside Drive, in his fifty-fifth year.

Police Commissioner CHARLES H. MOORE of Elizabeth, N. J., President of the New Jersey Dock and Bridge Building Company, died yesterday at his home in Elizabeth, in his fifty-ninth year.

JAMES POOTON, 47 years old, theatrical agent and manager, died Tuesday in Liberty, N. Y. He had been employed as reporter and editor on various New York papers, and at one time was Secretary to the late Ward McAllister. He served as advance agent for John Drew and other stars.

The Rev. GEORGE H. VARDEN, member of the American Academy of Political and Social Science, author, educator, and Baptist minister of national fame, died yesterday in Lexington, Ky., in his sixty-second year.

Miss Barbara Cowan, a buyer for Hickson & Co., died on Monday at Miss Alston's Sanitarium. Her home was at 319 Lincoln Place, Brooklyn. She had crossed the ocean more than fifty times.

E. JESSE CONWAY, a former New York newspaperman, but who recently was connected with the Washington bureau of The New York American, died yesterday at the Emergency Hospital, Washington.

B. AYMAR SANDS DIES, LAWYER AND FINANCIER

Ex-President of University Club Was Active in Reform Movements in New York.

Benjamin Aymar Sands, member of the law firm of Bowers & Sands, 46 Cedar Street, and son of the founder of the banking firm of Samuel S. Sands & Co., died last night at his home, 58 West Forty-eighth Street, in his sixty-fourth year. For many years Mr. Sands, who was a member of a family long in New York, took an active part in Republican politics and in reform movements in this city.

Mr. Sands was a Trustee of Columbia College, former President of the Republican Club of the Twenty-seventh Assembly District, a Trustee of the Greenwich Savings Bank, and a Director of the Lincoln Trust Company, as well as many other banks, trust companies, and financial corporations. He was a Fellow of the Metropolitan Museum of Arts, a member of the Bar Association, the Society of Colonial Wars, and the St. Nicholas Society.

He was formerly a Governor of the University Club and later became its President. His other clubs were the Union, Republican, St. Anthony, Downtown, Church, and City. In 1878 Mr. Sands married Amy Aiken, who survives him, with his daughter Mary, the wife of the Hon. Hugh Howard of Bellevue House, Delgany, Ireland.

Carroll Johnson, Minstrel.

Carroll Johnson, a once prominent minstrel, who made several tours with the troupe of McNish, Johnson and Slavin, died yesterday at St. Luke's Hospital in his sixty-seventh year. He was born in the County Armagh, Ireland, in 1850, and when he first came to this country he joined Haverly's Minstrels. Later he took the leading parts in Irish plays, particularly "The Irish Statesman," and "The Fairies' Well." Afterward he became connected with the minstrel company of Primrose & West. He made his home at the Hotel Normandie. He is survived by his wife.

Eleanor C. Donnelly, Catholic Poet.

Eleanor C. Donnelly, author of more than fifty volumes of poetry, most of it of a religious nature, and a frequent contributor to Catholic magazines, died yesterday at Westchester, Penn., in her seventy-ninth year. The Pope honored her several times with special marks of approval. Miss Donnelly was called the "Adelaide Procter of America." She was the sister of Ignatius Donnelly, author of the cryptogram by which he contended Sir Francis Bacon wrote Shakespeare's plays.

ELKUS OUT OF DANGER.

Turkey Does Not Regard Break with Us as a War Measure.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Secretary Lansing today received a cablegram from Ira Nelson Morris, the American Minister to Sweden, stating that a message received at Copenhagen from the Swedish Minister at Constantinople reported that Abram I. Elkus, American Ambassador to Turkey, who is ill with spotted typhus fever, passed the crisis on April 29. The message added that Mr. Elkus was convalescent and that he would be able to leave Constantinople in about four weeks.

Before this late message was received, the department's information direct from Constantinople only covered the condition of Mr. Elkus up to April 23, stating that the crisis in Mr. Elkus's illness was expected that day. On the basis of the latter message, the State Department issued this announcement:

"Certain members of the embassy staff will probably leave as soon as arrangements can be made; others will await the recovery of the Ambassador. The embassy has been informed by Djavid Bey, in charge of the Ministry of the Interior, that he has sent telegraphic instructions to local authorities throughout the empire informing them that the rupture of diplomatic relations between the United States and Turkey is not a war measure, and that American citizens and institutions should be treated as before."

GEORGE W. CONKLING KILLED

Telegrapher Who Won Many Trophies Crushed Under Auto.

George W. Conkling, known among telegraphers as the most expert Morse sender in the craft, died yesterday at his home, Ridgefield Park, N. J., as the result of an automobile accident on Monday night.

Mr. Conkling at a tournament in Madison Square Garden in 1898 took 345 words in five minutes and defeated his nearest competitor by nearly fifteen words a minute. For the last twenty-five years he worked as an operator for brokerage firms and newspapers.

For many years Mr. Conkling was employed by the Laffan News Bureau. Later he worked for The Associated Press, the United Press, and The New York Herald.

Dr. Waite to Die on May 21.

OSSINING, May 1.—Unless reprieved by the Governor, Dr. Arthur Warren Waite, the poisoner, who has been confined in Sing Sing deathhouse for a year, it was announced today, would be executed Monday, May 21.

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Marriage and death notices intended for insertion in The New York Times may be telephoned to 1000 Bryant.

Born.

MARTINE.—To Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Martine, on May 1, at the Bergen Sanitarium, Jersey City, a son.

SCHLIVEK.—Dr. and Mrs. K. Schlivek, (nee Elsie Birkenfeld,) 122 West 120th St., announce the birth of a son Sunday, April 29.

Engaged.

BRANDT—GUTERMAN.—Mr. Nathan H. Brandt to Della Guterman.

CHILDS—BOUCHER.—Gertrude Boucher to Ensign Earl W. F. Childs.

DOWD—SMITH.—Elizabeth R. Smith to Edmond J. Dowd.

PROCTOR—WILLIAMS.—Joy W. Williams to William R Proctor, Jr.

Married.

DE KAY—MacMURRAY.—On Monday, April 30, 1917, by the Rev. Charles Lewis Slattery, at the Hotel Gotham, New York City, Helen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence F. MacMurray, of Troy, N. Y., to Sidney Gilder de Kay.

MARSHALL—OLSEN.—Miss Anna Sheldon, 347 West 55th St., announces the marriage of her sister, Miss Selma Olsen, to Mr. Howard Marshall, 405 Park Av., New York, with E. W. Bliss Company, Brooklyn.

MATTHEWS—NEY.—On Tuesday, May 1, at St. Columba's Church, West 25th St., by Rev. John Rogers, Genevieve Ney, daughter of Judge John J. Ney, Iowa City, Iowa, to Joseph Matthews, New York City.

CARSON—BOYESON.—April 30, Norah Boyeson to Willis H. Carson, Jr.

CONNETT—ENGER.—April 30, Helen M. Enger to William B. Connett.

OLIVER—McMILLIN.—April 30, Elinor F. McMillin to Joseph D. Oliver, Jr.

WARD—WAIT.—April 30, Constance E. Wait to Ensign Clark O. Ward.

Brooklyn.

BONNER—STEHLI.—April 30, Lily Stehli to Paul H. Bonner.

RENNIE—KASTNER.—April 30, Theresa Kastner to William Rennie.

Jersey City and Newark.

ANTHONY—SCANLAN.—April 29, Jersey City, May B. Scanlan to Horace Anthony.

JEALOUS—BALDWIN.—April 30, Helen Baldwin to Arthur R. Jealous.

WILSON—ROSE.—April 30, Newark, Edith L. Rose to Andrew Wilson, Jr.

Long Island.

FORST—NICHOLSON.—April 30, Flushing, Frances M. Nicholson to Dr. John A. Forst.

Died.

COHN.—On Tuesday, May 1, 1917, Emanuel Cohn, beloved father of Mrs. Meyer L. Levinson, Mrs. Benjamin Levinson, Mrs. Julius Rosenberg, Mrs. Charles Friedlander, Mrs. Alphonse Ehrlich, David E. and Arthur A. Cohn. Funeral from his late residence, 20 Bay 31st St., near 86th St., Bath Beach, on Thursday, May 3, at 10 A. M. Interment at Macphelah Cemetery, Cypress Hills.

CORNELL.—On Sunday, April 29, 1917, Joseph I. Cornell, in his 42d year. Funeral service will be held at his late residence, 137 South Broadway, Nyack, N. Y., on Wednesday, May 2, 3 P. M.

COWAN.—April 30, Barbara Leech, daughter Robert H. Cowan, Sr., and Barbara L. Cowan, and sister of Mrs. Frank Vining Miller and Alfred, Robert H., Jr., Benjamin H. Curtis, and George Cowan. Services THE FUNERAL CHURCH, Broadway, 66th and 67th St., (Frank E. Campbell Building,) Wednesday evening, 8:30 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

CRYAN.—On May 1, Anna T. Cryan, sister of Katherine, John, and Thomas V. Cryan and aunt of John J. Cryan. Funeral from her residence, 123 West 96th St., on Thursday, 10 A. M.; thence to Holy Name Church. Interment Calvary. Kindly omit flowers.

DICKINSON.—Tuesday, May 1, 1917, at Post Graduate Hospital, New York City, Mary K. Goodwin, beloved wife of Clarence C. Dickinson, daughter of the late Manning A. and Jane C. Goodwin. Notice of funeral later. Kindly omit flowers. Columbia County, N. Y., and Hartford, Conn., papers please copy.

DOSCHER.—After a short illness, John Doscher, in his 97th year. Funeral service at the residence of his son, 50 Morningside Av., corner 119th St., on Wednesday, May 2, 1917, at 8 P. M. Interment private. Kindly omit flowers.

FITTER.—George R., April 30, husband of Dorothy Byrne Fitter of New Orleans, La., daughter of the late Captain Harry Byrne, U. S. A. T. S. Funeral Thursday morning, Far Rockaway, N. Y.

FLETCHER.—On Saturday, April 28, 1917, Isaac Dudley Fletcher, in his 73d year. Funeral service will be held at his late residence, 2 East 79th St., on Wednesday, May 2, at 10 A. M. Interment at Woodlawn.

FLETCHER.—At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Importers and Traders National Bank of New York held this day the Chairman announced to the board the death on the 28th ultimo, after an illness of several weeks of our Director, Mr. Isaac D. Fletcher, whereupon on motion it was unanimously

Resolved, That in the death of Mr. Fletcher this bank has lost a valued Director and the members of this board an esteemed and honored friend, whose devotion to the interests of this institution has been of great benefit to it.

Mr. Fletcher was elected a Director on April 12, 1904.

During the thirteen years of his connection with this board he was faithful in his attendance at its meetings, and his advice and counsel were always at the service of the bank and were highly valued by its officers and his associate Directors.

The members of this board desire to place on record their appreciation of Mr. Fletcher's sterling character, his high standing as a merchant, and his lovable personal qualities and their grief at his decease, and extend to his bereaved relatives and associates in business assurances of their deep sympathy in the great loss they have sustained in his death.

H. H. POWELL, President.

New York, May 1, 1917.

Died.

FRENCH.—On Monday, April 30, Frank Whitney French of Plainfield, N. J. Funeral services on Thursday, May 3, at 3 P. M., at the residence of his father, 18 Craig Place, Plainfield, N. J.

GODFREY.—On April 30, at his residence, 215 West 131st St., New York, in his 82d year, George J., born at North Shields, near Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, beloved husband of the late Catherine A. Mitchell and father of the late Captain George J. Godfrey, 22d United States Infantry. Funeral and interment private at West Point, Thursday, May 3.

GREENWOOD.—Shirley Carter, youngest son of Alfred Craven and Julia Wickham Greenwood, in London, England, on April 22. Southern papers please copy.

GUE.—At his home, 606 6th St., Brooklyn, May 1, 1917, David John Gue, in his 82d year. Funeral notice hereafter.

HALSEY.—On April 30, 1917, at her residence, 330 West 85th St., Ada Stuart, only daughter of Robert and Sarah Stuart Halsey. Funeral services at St. Agnes's Chapel, West 92d St., near Columbus Av., Thursday, May 3, at 11 o'clock. Interment at Greenwood, private. Please omit flowers.

HOTCHKISS.—Entered into rest on Tuesday, May 1, 1917, at her residence, 493 4th St., Brooklyn, Rachel Elizabeth Smith, wife of the late Edwin O. Hotchkiss. Funeral private. Boston and St. Louis papers please copy.

JAMES.—On May 1, at Coton House, England, John Arthur James, brother of the late D. Willis James of this city, in the 63d year of his age.

JOHNSON.—May 1, 1917, J. Carroll, husband of Marietta Carroll Johnson, aged 67 years. Remains will lie in state THE FUNERAL CHURCH, Broadway, 66th and 67th Sts., (Frank Campbell Building,) until Thursday afternoon, 5 o'clock. Funeral services at Elks Home, West 43d St., Thursday evening, 8 o'clock. Relatives, friends and Brother Elks are invited.

KAUFMANN.—April 30, William, son of Elise M. Kaufmann. Funeral service Wednesday, 2 P. M., at his late residence, 2,604 University Av.

KNIGHT.—At Sharon, Conn., May 1, Caroline Sedgwick Knight, widow of the late W. W. Knight, M. D., aged 78 years. Funeral Friday, 2:30 P. M.

LEIPZIGER.—Jennie, widow of Elkan, beloved mother of Louis, Fred, Leo E., Moe, Pauline, Hattie, and Sophie Sayles. Funeral services at her late residence, 204 West 86th St., Thursday, May 3, 10 A. M.

LUDLOW.—On May 1, Amelia Inez, daughter of the late James Ogden Ludlow. Funeral services at Mortuary Chapel, Burr Davis & Son, 15 South 4th Av., Mount Vernon, Thursday, 1 o'clock.

LYDECKER.—On Monday evening, April 30, 1917, Eliza J. Demarest, widow of Isaac S. Lydecker, in her 84th year. Funeral services at her late residence, Ivanhoe Inn, Nyack, N. Y., Thursday, May 3, at 2 P. M.

MAGUIRE.—Bridget J., widow of James C. Maguire, formerly of St. Louis, in her 85th year, on Monday last. Interment at St. Louis on Thursday. St. Louis papers please copy.

MAPES.—Major Francis Carpenter Mapes, aged 78 years. Funeral THE FUNERAL CHURCH, Campbell's, Broadway and 66th St., Tuesday evening, 8:30. Members Metropolitan Temple and Grand Army Posts invited.

MAY.—On Monday, April 30, in her 72d year, Amelia May, beloved sister of Esther Manes, Matilda Salomon, and Frances Stern. Funeral from her late residence, 611 West 114th St., Wednesday, at 1:30 P. M.

NEUBURGER.—At Wyckoff, N. J., entered into rest, Theodore Martin, beloved son of Alfred and Laura Neuburger, aged 27 years. Funeral service Wednesday, May 2, from St. Paul's P. E. Church, at Paterson, N. J., at 3 P. M.

NICHOLSON.—On Tuesday, May 1, 1917, at his residence, Mayfair Place, Morris Plains, N. J., Alfred, oldest son of Alfred Nicholson. Funeral from his late residence, Thursday, May 3, at 11 A. M.

NORRIS.—Suddenly, at Glenridge, N. J., on May 1, 1917, Mrs. Harriet R. Norris, daughter of the late James G. Moffit, aged 79 years. Funeral from her late residence, 130 Ridgewood Av., Glenridge, N. J., on Thursday, May 3, at 3:30 P. M. Interment at Woodlawn, N. Y.

POOTON.—Tuesday, May 1, at Liberty, N. Y., James Pooton, in his forty-seventh year. Services THE FUNERAL CHURCH, (Campbell's,) Broadway and 66th St., Thursday at 2 P. M. Interment Cypress Hills.

ROTHSCHILD.—On May 1, Caroline A., beloved wife of Edward L. Rothschild, Atlantic City. Funeral services at 228 Lenox Av., on Thursday, 9:30 A. M. Interment at Mt. Sinai Cemetery, Frankford, Philadelphia, at 1:30 P. M.

SANDS.—Suddenly, at his residence, May 1, 1917, Benjamin Aymar, son of the late Samuel Stevens and Mary Emily Sands, in the 64th year of his age. Notice of funeral hereafter.

SPECKELS.—On April 30, Helen V. Speckels, (nee Nolan,) beloved wife of Joseph J. Speckels and sister of Mrs. John T. Keane and Mrs. W. A. McCarthy. Funeral from her late residence, 1,126 Jackson Av., on Thursday, May 3, 9:30 A. M.; thence to St. Augustine's Church, 167th St. and Franklin Av.

STIEBERITZ.—Wilhelm. Services THE FUNERAL CHURCH, Broadway, 66th and 67th Sts., Thursday, 11 o'clock. Auspices Actors' Fund.

SYLVESTER.—On Monday, April 30, Caroline Sylvester, widow of Hyman Sylvester and beloved mother of Lena Lesser, Emily Sondheim, and Mitchell, Seamon, James, and Louis Sylvester. Services Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock, at her late residence, 240 West 102d St. Funeral private.

SYLVESTER.—Caroline. Mutual Benefit and Burial Society, Congregation Gates of Prayer. Members are requested to attend the funeral services of our late member, Mrs. Caroline Sylvester, at her late residence, 240 West 102d St., Wednesday evening, 8 o'clock.

GUSTAV STEIN, President.

IRVING SCHACHNE, Secretary.

TAYLOR.—John H. Services THE FUNERAL CHURCH, Broadway, 66th and 67th. Time later. Auspices Actors' Fund.

TIERNAN.—Suddenly, on April 30, 1917, at his residence, 474 Central Park West, Frank M. Tiernan, M. D. Funeral services at parlors of S. M. Hook & Son, 710 8th Av., Wednesday evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

TIERNAN.—Headquarters Lafayette Post 140, G. A. R. Comrades, also members of Lafayette Camp, S. O. V., are requested to attend the funeral services of our late comrade, Frank M. Tiernan, M. D., Past Commander, at parlors of S. M. Hook & Son, 710 8th Av., 7:30 Wednesday evening, May 2, 1917. Uniform or citizen's dress and badge. "Ritual."

FRANCIS B. STEDMAN, Commander.

JOSIAH O. LONG, Adjutant.

Died.

TABB.—Suddenly, from heart attack, on Monday, April 30, at 12:15 A. M., Henry A. Tabb of Gloucester, Va., in the 70th year of his age. Funeral from his home in Arrochar, S. I., 3 o'clock on Wednesday, May 2. Richmond (Va.) papers please copy.

VAN KAN.—Suddenly, at Matamoras, Penn., in his 45th year, Herman Joseph, beloved brother of William Van Kan. Funeral service Thursday night at 8 o'clock at his late residence, 321 St. Nicholas Av. Funeral private. Kindly omit flowers.

VEAL.—William H. THE FUNERAL CHURCH, Broadway, 66th and 67th Sts., (Campbell Building.) Time later.

WHITE.—Thomas C. White, Jr., of New York and Kansas City, April 27, in Copenhagen. Mr. White is survived by his widow, Frieda G. White, 114 West 79th St., New York City.

ZORN.—On Tuesday, May 1, 1917, Julie Zorn, in her 86th year. Funeral service at her late residence, 70 Grant St., Tompkinsville, Staten Island, on Thursday, May 3, at 8 P. M. Interment private.

BRYAN.—Nellie, 206 West 41st St., April 29, aged 38.

BRYBURGH.—Catherine, 96 Grove St., April 28. Funeral today, noon.

CARROLL.—Timothy J., 341 East 41st St., April 29. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

CAULFIELD.—Mark J., 14A East 39th St., April 29. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

FAY.—Martin, 388 Willis Av., Bronx, April 29. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

FEENEY.—John, 307 East 38th St., April 30. Funeral notice later.

GALVIN.—Bartow J., 503 West 173d St., April 30. Funeral notice later.

GERITY.—Thomas, 139 East 43d St., April 30. Funeral today, 9 A. M.

GRIFFIN.—Michael, April 30. Funeral 130 Greenwich Av., today, 10 A. M.

HINKEN.—John C., 344 East 152d St., April 30. Funeral tomorrow, 1:30 P. M.

HOGAN.—John, 220 East 84th St., April 29, aged 48.

HORD.—William B., 2,424 Broadway, April 30.

HUGHES.—John, 1 Cannon St., April 30. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

McKEON.—Henry, St. Vincent's Hospital, April 30. Funeral notice later.

OPPENHEIMER.—Bertha, 610 West 150th St., April 29. Funeral today, 10 A. M.

PAUGET.—Joseph, 59 West 8th St., April 30. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

PAUL.—Carl, Great Kills, S. I., April 29, aged 56. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

RYAN.—Mary, 130 West 109th St., April 30. Funeral today.

SENN.—Emma F., 80 Washington Square East, April 29. Funeral today, 10 A. M.

SLATTERY.—James F., 317 West 124th St., April 30, aged 7 months.

SMITH.—James, 849 2d Av., April 29. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

STEVENSON.—Frances, 86 East 4th St., April 29.

STIEFEL.—Adolph S., 565 West 162d St., April 29.

STUEHLINGER.—Daniel, 400 East 74th St., April 30, aged 74. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

TULLY.—Ann, 533 East 171st St., April 29.

ULLMANN.—Gertrude, 140 Brook Av., April 30. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

WADE.—Murray T., 371 West 52d St., April 30, aged 41. Funeral tomorrow.

WICKHAM.—Mary, Broadway Central Hotel, April 29. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

WOYTHALER.—Leo, 991 Boston Road, Bronx, April 30. Funeral today, noon.

Brooklyn.

ALLEN.—Hamilton, 179 Skillman Av., April 29, aged 62.

ANDERSON.—Hulda P., 351 5th Av., April 30. Funeral today.

ANDREWS.—Eliza P., 267 St. James Place, April 30. Funeral service today.

BARR.—Mary A., 1,333 71st St., April 30. Funeral tomorrow.

BERMINGHAM.—Daniel, 510 Lorimer St., April 29, aged 31. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

BEYER.—Catherine, 266 Jefferson St., April 29, aged 68.

DALY.—Michael J., 7,204 5th Av., April 29.

DILLON.—Ellen M., 463 Tompkins Av., April 30. Funeral tomorrow, 9 A. M.

EDEN.—Katheryn M., 1,710 East 49th St., April 30.

EHRLICH.—David, 2,065 Bergen St., April 29.

FICKETT.—William P., 353 Graham Av., May 1, aged 14. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

FITZGERALD.—Mary E., 252 Greene Av., April 30. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

GIBSON.—George F., 99th St. and Shore Road, April 30, aged 69. Funeral private.

GOODRICH.—Printice R., 170 South Oxford St., May 1. Funeral May 4.

HANSON.—Agnes, 1,188 St. Mark's Av., April 30, aged 68. Funeral tomorrow.

HUDTWALKA.—Margaret, 781 Bushwick Av., May 1. Funeral May 5, 10 A. M.

KELLY.—Owen, 349 Warren St., April 30.

McLEAN.—Alexander, 251 Harrison St., April 29, aged 63. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

RICH.—Corinne, April 28. Funeral 130 7th Av., today, 2 P. M.

ROCKWELL.—S. Willis, 83 South Portland Av., April 30, aged 58.

SCHAEFER.—Louise, April 29. Funeral 2,001 Madison St.

SMITH.—Sarah, 175 North 7th St., April 30. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

TRAUTMANN.—Margaret, 431 Logan St., April 29. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

TRUELSON.—Mary E., 62 Hanson Place, April 30. Funeral service today.

Hoboken, Jersey City, and Newark.

BAILEY.—Edward, 251 4th St., Jersey City, April 30.

BASNAJIAN.—Lucy, 503 Palisade Av., Jersey City, April 29, aged 35.

BOOTH.—Andrew J., 324 Arlington Av., Jersey City, April 30. Funeral tomorrow.

BRUNHOM.—Henry, 77 Grand St., Jersey City, April 29. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

CRAWFORD.—Monroe, 1,016 Hudson St., Hoboken, April 29, aged 54. Funeral private.

DALY.—George E., 166 Mercer St., Jersey City, April 30. Funeral tomorrow.

FLADUNG.—Frederick A., 194 Webster Av., Jersey City, April 30, aged 21.

GRIFFIN.—Mary, 921 Willow Av., Hoboken, April 30.

GROTE.—Milton, 374 West St., West Hoboken, April 29.

HOUGHTON.—Delia, 553 Jersey Av., Jersey City, April 30. Funeral today.

ILLSLEY.—Charles H., 84 8th Av., Newark, April 30, aged 55. Funeral May 4, 2 P. M.

JAQUINS.—William L., 37 Fleet St., Jersey City, April 30. Funeral today, 2:30 P. M.

KELLER.—Albertina, 112 Baldwin Av., Jersey City, April 29, aged 86.

KELLNER.—Henry, 51 Sterling St., Newark, May 1, aged 73. Funeral service tomorrow.

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KOECK.—Henry, 99 Valley St., Newark, April 30, aged 26. Funeral tomorrow, 8:30 A. M.

KOEFIG.—Charles, 726 Monastery St., West Hoboken, April 29. Funeral today, 10 A. M.

LOEBER.—John W., Sr., 3,302 Boulevard, Jersey City, April 30, aged 77. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

McCANN.—Emmet A., 512 Charles St., West Hoboken, April 29.

MASON.—Ernest W., 821 Park Av., Hoboken, April 29. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

MEEKER.—William, Newark, April 30. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

MEUDTER.—John, Hoboken, April 29, aged 64.

PARISH.—Mary O., 114 2d Av., Newark, May 1, aged 72. Funeral notice later.

SCHLINK.—Otto, 404 South 11th St., Newark, April 30, aged 61. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

WAAG.—Rosina, Newark, April 30.

WALSH.—Margaret E., 224 North 3d St., Newark, April 30. Funeral tomorrow, 8:30 A. M.

WEIK.—Catherine, 125 Sherman Av., Jersey City, April 29, aged 51. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

WELCH.—Maurice, 30 North 3d St., Newark, May 1. Funeral notice later.

WHITE.—Fred H., 717 Union St., West Hoboken, April 29.

Long Island.

ACKERMAN.—Martha, Evergreen, April 30, aged 16. Funeral today, 2:30 P. M.

BALLARD.—Frederick L., Woodhaven, April 30. Funeral service today.

BYRNE.—Lawrence A., Woodhaven, April 30.

LEWIS.—Charles W., Queens, April 29, aged 65.

PFIZENMAYER.—Bessie R., Jamaica, April 30, aged 44. Funeral service today.

SMITH.—Anna M., College Point, April 30, aged 60. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

STEWART.—Alexander M., Cedarhurst, April 30. Funeral private.

TONER.—Bernard, Maspeth, April 30, aged 62. Funeral today, 10 A. M.

VAN ZANTEN.—Martin, Richmond Hill, April 30, aged 20. Funeral today, 2:30 P. M.

In Memoriam.

FLEISCH.—In sad and loving memory of our dearly beloved father, Jacob H., who died May 2, 1908.

GLUCK.—In loving memory of our husband and father, Emanuel Gluck, who departed this earth May 2, 1916.

MAY.—In memory of Michael J. May, died Tuesday, May 2, 1916. Mass at St. Agnes Station's Church, Brooklyn.

CAHILL.—Bridget. Mass St. James's Church, Newark, today, 8 A. M.

CONNOLLY.—William H., Jr. Mass St. Antoninus's Church, Newark, today, 8:30 A. M.

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Weekly Output Said to Total 3,000 to 3,500—Visit to Magdeburg Factories.

By OSCAR KING DAVIS.

THIRTY-SECOND ARTICLE.

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Shells were by no means all we saw in those hurried marches through the munitions factories at Magdeburg, whether powder cases or projectiles. There were guns, also, by the score and hundred; and great torpedo tubes for submarines, and rifle cartridges by the million, and supplies of copper and brass and other war materials that seemed to be never ending. We got a glimpse of the effect of the Hindenburg order for the production of all possible war supplies, and we saw one little part of Germany at work fulfilling that order.

One of the strongest impressions about Germany's condition which I took with me to Berlin was that she was very short of copper. I had heard that story from all sorts and conditions of men everywhere I went outside of Germany. It stood to reason, also, because it was known that Germany possessed no considerable original source of copper of her own, and she was using immense quantities of munitions in which copper was an important component part she must be getting very hard up. Also there was the talk about the census of copper throughout Germany, and the taking of every kind of copper utensil from the kitchen of every individual, rich or poor, and the copper roofs from the houses and the public buildings, and all that. So that I went to Magdeburg with that impression strongly in mind, and very curious to see what Germany was doing for substitutes.

Therefore it was with no small surprise that I observed, in the first plant we went through, a very lavish use of brass. And immediately afterward I saw a thing which has not even yet been explained to my satisfaction. That was the production of solid brass torpedo tubes in apparently unlimited quantities. There was one factory in which special attention seemed to be devoted to the making of these torpedo tubes for submarines. Each tube is at least twenty feet long, and they are two feet or more in diameter. They were cast out of brass, and as far as I could learn no section of them was made of steel or other metal. It was my understanding that in our own service and in those of other countries such tubes were made chiefly of steel. Thousands of pounds of brass were used in each of these German tubes. There must have been fifty of these tubes under construction at once in that one plant, and some tons of copper went into them. I asked the Major from the General Staff where they got so much copper. He replied with a laugh: "Oh, our enemies gave it to us. We have a first class copper mine in Serbia, you know."

Millions of Brass Shells.

Besides this liberal use of brass we saw them making shells—powder cases—literally by the million. And here was another thing which was decidedly surprising to me. We saw them making brass powder cases for fixed ammunition for guns of all calibres, even up to the great 42-centimeter fellows which had wrought such devastation in the early days in Belgium. I knew that in the American service the use of fixed ammuntion—that is, of solid cartridges in which the projectile is fixed in the brass powder case—had been discontinued for guns of larger calibre than seven inches some years ago, and I have been informed since that our services have not used fixed ammuntion even in the 7-inch guns for a considerable number of years. Consequently, I was not a little surprised at finding the Germans rolling out these huge brass powder cases, and in apparently endless numbers.

I asked my guide in this particular plant a great many questions about these huge powder cases, most of which were not answered. The one I most desired to have answered was how this fixed ammunition was more serviceable than the combination of powder bags and separate projectiles used in our own service. The explanation was not forthcoming. I knew that the Germans had been hard put to it for powder bags. Their supply of cotton was evidently less than their supply of copper and brass. But they had told me with enthusiasm of the use of wood pulp to replace jute and cotton, and of the manufacture of all sorts of bags for military uses out of paper. They had told me specifically that no more cotton or jute bags were used for trench construction, and that all sandbags were now made of paper.

But no one would go into detail about this fixed ammunition for me. It was suggested that they had found that ammunition kept better under the open weather storage conditions at the front when the powder charge was protected by brass cases than when in paper bags. Of course, that would enable the storage of ammunition in the open, and it is notorious that vast quantities of it are so stored. But vast quantities are also stored underground, protected from the rain and the snow.

But whatever the reason for this prodigal use of copper, the fact remains that it was being made, and that our conductors merely laughed when we commented upon it. Thereupon it was suggested by one of the skeptical foreign correspondents that the whole thing was just a "stall", to create the impression in our minds that they had an unlimited supply of copper. But I for one could hardly credit even German ingenuity with such a device, involving as it would the setting up of whole munitions plants and equipping them with machinery for the production of powder cases out of brass, just to impress occasional traveling newspaper men. What difference could it make whether we were impressed or not? The English and the French were not going to alter their production of munitions on the reports we might be able to make of any such inspection of German production as our German conductors were permitting us to make.

And then we saw them turning out copper jacketed bullets literally by the million for use by the Turks in rifles captured from the Russians. Hindenburg had taken the rifles in the early days of the war, and now he was furnishing ammunition for them. They told us that they shipped these cartridges to the Turks at the rate of 2,000,000 a day. In the American service we have not used copper jacketed bullets for years. The Spaniards did not use them in our little war of nineteen years ago. The Japanese did not use them in their war with Russia in 1904. Germany seemed literally to have copper to throw away. At any rate, she had more of that than of any other soft metal that would make satisfactory jackets for bullets.

All one afternoon we wandered through acres of plant where they were turning out those brass powder cases and those copper jacketed bullets for the Turks. There were 12,000 hands employed in that plant, of whom 5,000 were women. We saw women working on machines, and even doing lathe work. We saw them handling shells—projectiles—in many stages, and in all stages for shells up to six inches in size. And they were working on powder cases up to sizes even larger. The drawing, or rolling, of these powder cases was done by men, but many of the men tending machines had women helpers. It was at this plant that one of our guides told me they were using 500,000 tons of brass a month in making powder cases. I never was quite sure whether he really hoped I would believe that or not.

The Guns of Krupp.

And then there were the guns. One plant we saw which is part of the great Krupp establishment. The head of it had been drafted to Berlin for service as Chief of the Technical Staff in General Groener's organization of the War Office. He was at the works himself to show us through. When I replied to his question that I did not speak German sufficiently well to converse with him, he said: "Well, then, I must speak English. I haven't done that for more than two years, and I was thinking I should not do it again. But I have sent them some mementoes which some of them will keep."

We marched through twelve or fourteen kilometers of gun factory that morning, going most of the time at almost double time. And everywhere we saw guns—guns in all stages of construction, from the casting box to the finished product just hitched up to be taken to the proving ground for trial before delivery to the army. These were all small guns, five-inch howitzers being the largest in calibre. Besides there were hundreds of the ordinary small guns of about three-inch calibre for the field artillery.

Naturally we asked questions—at least I did. And out of the whole number of them I got answers to some of those that interested me most. I was told, for instance, that the gun production of that plant—employing about half of its force of 14,000 hands on gun work—was about twelve finished guns per day—something less than a hundred guns a week. I was told also that that plant constituted about 8 per cent. of the total Krupp establisment—or that its production did. The great Essen works of Krupp, which are devoted wholly to the production of guns of all sizes and of munitions, employ, I was told, 80,000 hands, and the total Krupp production of the small guns we saw in the making was about 1,000 a week. Moreover, it was said that this Krupp production was about one-third of the total production of Germany, for there are several other great plants besides the Krupp works. So that on the whole the estimate for the weekly production of guns was between 3,000 and 3,500. Which agreed closely with information which another American correspondent in Berlin had obtained from entirely different sources.

They certainly seemed to be doing their best at Magdeburg to comply with the Hindenburg order for "all the guns and munitions possible to make."

PAYS $925 FOR POE'S POEMS

Rare First Edition Is Bought by Mr. Lowdermilk of Washington.

Rare books and letters, including items from the library of A. B. Spingarn of New York, were sold yesterday at the Walpole Galleries. The total was $6,412. The highest price was $925, paid by Mr. Lowdermilk of Washington, D. C., for Catalogue No. 226, the extremely rare first edition of Edgar Allan Poe's "Al Aaraaf Tamerlane and Minor Poems," original boards, Baltimore, 1829. Probably not more than ten copies of this first edition in the original binding are known. Those that are in existence owe their preservation, probably, to their having been presented by the author to friends. This copy was originally in the possession of a Baltimore merchant, at whose house Poe was a visitor.

Mr. Garrett of Hartford, Conn., gave $825 for Catalogue No. 122, "Tydings from Rome, or England's Alarm," printed by Samuel Green at Cambridge, Mass., in 1668. It is the only known copy of a work hitherto described as one of the "lost books" of early America. On the title page is the autograph of the Rev. John Bailey, pastor at Watertown, and later minister of the First Church of Boston. Other items were as follows, with catalogue numbers, prices paid, and the names of the successful bidders:

No. 25—"The Booke of Falcorie, or Hawking," London, 1611, from the library of Thomas Gosden, with his bookplate and bound by him in brown calf; Walter M. Hill.......$210

No. 157—"A New Discourse of a Stale Subject, Called the Metamorphosis of Ajax," by Sir John Harrington, London, 1596, first edition, suppressed by order of Queen Elizabeth immediately on its publication; James F. Drake.... 261

No. 294—"Deacon Brodie, or the Double Life," by Robert Louis Stevenson and William E. Henley, the rare first privately printed edition, original wrappers, Edinburgh, 1880, marked throughout by Stevenson and Henley with alterations, &c., in pencil and pen; James F. Drake.......... 455

DANCES FOR FARMER GIRLS.

Mrs. Watkins to Open Ballroom for Those in Training.

It was announced yesterday at the headquarters of the New York City Woman's Suffrage Party that the first allotment of ten girls, the majority of them of Belgian descent, would take up a course in farming May 4 on the 150-acre farm of Mrs. John Humphrey Watkins, about four miles from Mount Kisco. At the start the girls will receive board and lodging and $4 a month. As they become more efficient, the wages will be raised to a maximum of $40.

The girls were selected from a number who registered for rural service at the party's bureau. Evelyn Aldrich, a graduate of Cornell, will direct the training, and members of the party have contributed the equipment. Mrs. Watkins has arranged to open the large ballroom of her home and permit the girls to hold occasional dances.

World's Court League Quiescent.

The annual meeting of the World's Court League was held yesterday and these officers were re-elected: President, Charles Lathrop Pack; Chairman Executive Committee, Emerson McMillin; General Secretary, Samuel T. Dutton, and Treasurer, Henry Clews. The league will continue its policy of refraining from any activity which might distract the public from the one great national duty of making every sacrifice to support the Government. The league will maintain its organization, so that when peace comes it may aid in establishing institutions for deciding international disputes.

Interborough Pays City $2,170,594

Within two days the Interborough Rapid Transit Company has paid to the city for taxes and rentals $2,170,594.31. John H. Campbell, Treasurer of the company, divided the payments into $1,692,115.23 real estate taxes assessed against the company for 1917; $467,008.40 for rentals for the quarter ended March 31, and $11,470.68 for special taxes upon the elevated lines.

Traction Earns $5,757,321.

For the twelve months ended March 31 the American Light and Traction Company reports gross earnings of $5,757,391, compared with $5,441,625 the previous year. The net earnings amounted to $5,488,896, as against $5,272,106. The total surplus earnings are given as $16,050,189, compared with $15,362,224. At their April meeting the Directors declared a regular quarterly cash dividend of 1½ per cent. on the preferred stock, a quarterly cash dividend of 2½ per cent. on the common stock, and a stock dividend to holders of the common at the rate of 2½ shares for every 100 of common stock outstanding.

MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

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Alta	.03	Hale & Norcross	.09
Alpha Con	.06	Julia	.02
Andes	.22	Justice	.03
Belcher	.07	Mexican	.65
Best & Belcher	.02	Occidental Con	.17
Bullion	.22	Ophir	.03
Caledonia	.05	Overman	.04
Challenge Con	.04	Potosi	.08
Chollar	.13	Savage	.02
Confidence	.01	Seg. Belcher	.25
Con. Cal. & Va.	.85	Sierra Nevada	.41
Con. Imperial	.05	Tonopha Con	.03
Exchequer	.05	Mexican dollars	.58½
Gould & Curry	.08		

TONOPAH.			
Belmont	4.15	Goldfield Merger	.05
Jim Butler	.73	Great Bend	.06
McNamara	.07	Jumbo Exten	.40
Midway	.12	Jumbo Junior	.10
Mizpah	.12	Kewanas	.12
Monarch Pitts	.14	Silver Pick	.13
Montana	.19	Spearhead	.12
		MANHATTAN.	
North Star	.14	Gold Wedge	.03
Rescue	.29	Manhattan Cons	.33
Tonopah Exten	3.10	Morning Glory	.17
West End	.70	Union Amalg	.21
West Tonopah	.22	White Caps	1.32½
GOLDFIELD.		OTHER DISTRICTS.	
Atlanta	.11	Big Jim	.74
Booth	.08	Nevada Hills	.23
Daisy	.03	Packard	.38
Florence	.21	Rochester	.60
Fraction	.04	Round Mountain	.39
Goldfield Cons	.52	United Eastern	4.37½

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Dr. J'pot	6⅝	7	Isabella	13⅜	13⅝
Elkton	8	9	McKinney	23½	30
El Paso	27	30	Portland	150	160
Fanny R	6	6¼	Vindicator	65	70
Golden C	225	228	U. Gold M.	19½	25
Gold Sov	4	5¼			

CALENDARS AND DECISIONS

CASES WILL BE CALLED IN THE ORDER GIVEN BELOW.

(<) This character means *versus* or *against*.

FEDERAL.

Supreme Court.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—235—H. H. Hale, plaintiff, v. E. W. Record.—Dismissed, with costs.

256—The Mississippi R. R. Commission et al., appellants, v. Mobile & Ohio R. R. Co.—Submitted.

268—M. D. Beer, plaintiff, v. American Express Co.—Passed temporarily.

249—The Buckeye Powder Co., plaintiff, v. E. I. du Pont de Nemours Powder Co. et al.—Argument continued and concluded for defendant.

250.—State of Nebraska, ex rel. H. C. Bittenbender et al., plaintiffs, v. Excise Board of the City of Lincoln, Neb.—Submitted.

252.—J. S. Rowland et al., Railroad Comms. of the State of Arkansas, appellants, v. S. E. Boyle, as admin., &c., et al.—One hour additional time allowed each side in reargument of this case. Reargument commenced.

Adjourned until tomorrow.

Call for May 2—Nos. 252, 183, 229, 254, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 270.

Southern District.

DISTRICT COURT—Manton, J.—Room 227, P. O. Bldg., at 10:30 A. M. Admiralty.

Pearce<Tug Coastwise. L V Transp Co<Schr Geo E Klinck. Abdu<SS Nigretia. Moore & Co<Ferryb't Pittsburgh. Pedigrew<SS New York. Willis<Barnes-Ames & Co. L V Transp Co<SS Santa Clara. Tracy<Tug P S Ross. Ross<Phila & Rdg RR.

Call calendar:

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DISTRICT COURT—Learned Hand, J.—Room 323, P. O. Bldg., at 10:30 A. M.—Jury calendar.

Anderson<Comp Gen Trans. Chalk<O'Brien. (2.) Stieler<Kull. Re Joseph Kliebert. Tillotson & Walcott<Morse. Graham<Int Merc Mar. Ahearn<Erie RR.

DISTRICT COURT—Mack, J.—Room 337, P. O. Bldg., at 10:30 A. M.—Jury calendar. Case on—Lowe Motor Supplies Co<Weed Chain Tire Grip Co.

Eastern District.

DISTRICT COURT—Veeder, J.—At 10:30 A. M., in Room 312, P. O. Bldg.—Criminal.

US<Rosen & Wagner. Same<Pakas. Same<Li Wah. Same<Mahoney.

General motions at 2 P. M.:

Lowy, Wechsler et al<Parish, Linkoy & Richmond Leather Goods Co, &c. Gusicki<Pine Hill Coal. Meyer<Locomobile Co of America. Peter Vaughan<same. Peterson<Stm yacht Iuni. Schnoor<Stm yacht C S Osborn.

DISTRICT COURT—Chatfield, J.—At 10:30 A. M., in Room 323, P. O. Bldg.—Equity.

Duberstein, as trustee<Bklyn Barg Footwear Co et al. US<W Richm'd Smith. Tyrrell<Eager. F N Burt Co, Ltd<W C Ritchie & Co. Same<M Cohen & Bros.

Criminal: US<Fortune.

STATE.

Court of Appeals.

Special to The New York Times.

DECISIONS.

Sauerbrunn, Jr., respt., v. Hartford Life Ins. Co., applt.—Motion for reargument denied, $10 costs.

Re transfer tax Hutton, dec'd; Allen et al., admrs., applts.; State Controller, respt. Re settlement accounts Hiscox et al., exrs.; Hiscox, dec'd, applts; Hughes, respt. Re settlement account Garrabrant, exr.; Klugh, dec'd, applt.; Klugh et al., respts. Re application for sale of real property of Callahan, dec'd; Smith, applt.; Kelley, respt.—Orders affirmed, with costs.

Aetna Explosives Co., Inc., applt., v. Bassick et al., respts., impl'd, with others.—Order affirmed, with costs, and question certified answered in the negative.

Bookhaus, applt., v. Interborough Rapid Transit Co., respt.—Order affirmed, with costs. First question certified answered in the negative; second question not answered.

Cataract Journal Co., respt., v. Fuller et al., applts; re application Grade Crossing Commrs., City Buffalo, respts.; re land, Hof et al., N. Y. C. R. R. Co. et al., respts; Otis Elevator Co., applt. (Proceeding No. 98.)—Appeals dismissed, with costs.

Re claim Marhoffer, respt., for compensation, v. Marhoffer, employer, and Zurich Genl. Accident and Liability Ind. Co., limited, ins. carrier, applts; State Industrial Commission, respts.—Order of Appellate Division reversed in so far as the same affirms the award for eight weeks' temporary total disability, and said claims dismissed, with costs against the Industrial Commission.

Crayton, respt., v. Larabee et al., aplts.—Judgment reversed, new trial granted, costs to abide event.

Small, aplt. v. Housman et al., respts.—Judgment of Appellate Division reversed and judgment of Trial Term modified by deducting therefrom the sum of $300, with interest thereon, as stipulated on appeal, and as so modified, affirmed without costs to either party.

Prest O Lite Co., aplt., v. Brickner, respt.—Judgment of Appellate Division reversed and determination of the Appellate term affirmed, with costs in Appellate Division and in this court, on authority of Prest O Lite Co. v. Ray et al., decided herewith.

Prest O Lite Co., aplt., v. Ray et al., respts.—Judgment of Appellate Division reversed and determination of the Appellate term affirmed, with costs in Appellate Division and in this court.

Goldstein, respt., v. Pullman Co., aplt.—Order affirmed with judgment absolute ordered against appellant on the stipulation, with costs in all courts.

Re application Lee et al., aplts., for writ of habeas corpus, Lyon, special guardian, respt.—Order of Appellate Division dismissing the writ reversed, and proceeding remitted to the special term for a hearing on the facts.

Re claim Mulford, respt., v. F. Pettit & Sons, Inc., employer, and Globe Indemnity Co., ins. carrier, aplts.—Order affirmed, with costs.

Re Saenger, respt., v. Locke, employe, and Zurich General Accident and Liability Ins. Co., Ltd., ins. carrier, aplts.—Industrial Commission, respts.—Order reversed and claim dismissed, with costs in Appellate Division and in this court against the Industrial Commission.

DAY CALENDAR.

Town of Oyster Bay<Stehli. Coutant<Mason. Fontanella<NY Cent. Town of Smithtown<Cruikshank. Schmidt<L Michel Brewing Co. Rycroft<G B Post, jr., et al. Getty<Williams Silver. Hood<NY Central.

NEW YORK COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

APPELLATE DIVISION—First Department—Clarke, P. J.; Laughlin, Scott, Davis, and Shearn, JJ.—Enumerated motions at 2 P. M.

Lesster<Lesster. Male<Atchison, Topeka, &c, Ry. Singer<H Diston & Sons. CNY<N Y Steam Co. Blum<Blum. Gisnet<Moeckel. Crawford<Dexter. Guzzardi<Am Dist Water Co. Thompson<Postal Life Ins Co. Amsterdam<Apfel. Schulder<E R Ladew. Hamilton<Rouse. Anchor Rty Co<Bankers Tr Co. Hirsh & Schofield<Gusmer. Landes<Landes.

APPELLATE TERM — First Department—Recess.

SPECIAL TERMS—Part I.—Giegerich, J.—At 10:15 A. M.

The calendar of Special Term, Part I., will hereafter be called by the Clerk at 10:15 A. M. for the purpose of noting defaults, adjournments, and motions ready for argument and to allow submission of motions where papers are complete. At 10:30 A. M. the motions not thus disposed of will be heard in their regular order by the Justice presiding.

Re Elder. Hooker<Andon Co. Prince<Behal. Bergere<Private Auto Rental Service. Maroney<Wilkens. Biagioli<Kimmerer. Ambrozi<same. Cordoni<same. Same<Mt Jessup Coal. Ambrozi<same. Biagioli<same. Moss<Hamilton. Rosner<Burke. O'Brien<Stern. Tucker<Weeks.

Klein<Newcorn. Gubitosa<Staffe. Green<Thompson-Starrett Co. Walter<Kohler. Schultze<James Butler. Scanlon<Standard Gas Light Co. Schaefer<Thomas McLarnon Co. Reemer<Frank Hillman Realty Co. Leahy<E C Pewtress Laundry Co. Miller<Prince (2.) Klein<Newcorn. Comfusione<Manhattan Sand Co. Schmohl<Weintraut. Cromarty Law Book Co<Phemister. CNY<A Lewitt Paper Box Co. Re Nicosia. Murphy<Degenhardt. G W Sheldon & Co<Burdett (3.) Bodenstein<Oppenheim. Susquehanna Silk Mills<Jackson. Shapiro<Mangin Wet Wash Laundry. Cooper<Boomhower. Slepek<Riley. Rosenthal<Auto Wear Mfg Co. Van Wyck<Silberberg. People<Franklin (2.) Padovino<Padovino. Chauveau<Maxwell. Grossman<Gavey. Ewen<O'Hagan. Duggan<Duggan. Grossman<Gavey. Re Katz<Leavitt. Zipperick<Zipperick. McNulty<McNulty. Guillay<Coudert. Terravecchia<Jackson (2.) Dessau<Dessau. James Butler, Inc<Doremus. Guarliglia<Grinstein. Holbermann<United Stores Realty. Re Hubbard. Re Keane<Horll (CNY.) Re Isoldi<same. Re E E Buhler<same. Weiss<Conroy. Kline Bros & Co<Hanover Fire Ins. Schappert<Schappert.

Livingston<Phillips Overgaiter Mfg. Henry<Randegg Rty. Hickson, Inc<H Milgrim & Bros. Mayer<Mayo. Elia<Interborough Transp Co. Kirschenbaum<Swoboda. Calder<Calder. N Y Trust Co<Le Forest. Tucker<City Hldg Co. Rohrer<Quinn. Jankelson<Atkins. Well<Bartsch. Burns Knitting Co<Fitwell Knitting Co. Green<Carmana Rty. Miller<Miller. Green<Wenig. Oudin<Tracy. Jones<N Y Times Co. Nevelson<Aetna Explosives Co, Inc. Green<Wenig. Carpentier<Carpentier. L & D Waist Co<Haas. McDonald<McDonald. Razook<Faour. Magrino<Magrino. Thompson<Fairbanks. Geissenhainer<Epstein. CNY<United Mfg Trimmings Co. Burns<Walter. Re Hochmann. Carey Printing Co<E J Willis Co. Fitch<Fitch. Re Haas & Fried, Inc, (Haney.) Slavitskas<Phila & R Ry, (2.) Bloom<Fish. Romanofsky<same. Mollenhauer<E A Strout Farm Agency. Wetmore<Wetmore. Albers<Becker. Re E Fucini & Co. Pryor<Pryor. Fishler<Boyars. Robt Reiner Imp Co<Finkelstein. Ottman<Evans. Jubilinsky<Un Cigar Stores Co. Lewis<Portale. Blalock<Allison. Lucas<Triangle Film. Union Dime Savs Bk<Forshen.

PART II.—Erlanger, J.—At 10:30 A. M.—Ex parte business.

PART III.—Finch, J.—At 10:15 A. M.—Recess.

PART IV.—Adjourned for the term.

PART VI.—Recess.

PARTS V., VII., and VIII.—Not in session.

TRIAL TERMS—Part II.—Recess.

PARTS III., IV., V., VI., VII., VIII., IX., X., XI., XII., XIII., XIV., XV., XVI., XVII., XVIII.—Adjourned for the term.

Surrogates' Court.

CHAMBERS—Fowler, S.—At 10:30 A. M.—Estates of: Lewis Radford, Maurice Quinlan, Hannah Mencher, Mary E Spencer. Wills for probate: Clarence Porter, Eliz J FitzGerald, Emile J Wittnauer, William S Flagg, Milton Levits, Sigmund B Steuman, Sibyela Breyer, Dennis Coughlin, Frank Mieazkowski, Rebecca Rubustruck, Eliza C Ripley.

TRIAL TERM—Cohalan, S.—Room 503, at 10:30 A. M.—Case on—Jessie Gillender.

City Court.

SPECIAL TERMS—Part I.—McAvoy, J.—At 10 A. M.—Litigated motions.

Gerard<Queal. Lejtowich<Steinfeld. Donnelly<Hopkins. Morse<Rinehart. Kurzman<Runkle. Park & Tilford<Moran. Knobler<Hudson Bay Imp Co. Cooper<Nambil Rty. Rock<Leventhal & Co. Rubin<S Einhorn & Co. Morer<Rosedale Dairy. Solomon<Roggen. Weinstein<Geery. Wajciekowski<Friedel. Krieger<Hoppin. Feinman<Wolarsky. Brown<Frazee Co. Finger<Con Gas Co. Malinowski<Friedel. Middleberg<Watterson. Dorfman<Irvel Rty. Weinstein<Newcorn. Respler<Krakauer. Rand<Morrison. Schwartz<Am Chicle. Rhein<Ham-Am Line. Schorr<Rosenthal. Marchisic<Rossett. A A Volk Co<Kahn. Estridge<Roberts. Glennon<same. Carroll<Kidde. Kefer<Mut Profit Rty. Vogelfanger<S Aronson Co. Birch<Globe Auto Sprinkler Co. Libman<Dickstein. Fuld<Saville. Troup<Steckler. Friedman<Ettlinger. Weissman<Reynolds. Elber<Myers. Simonovitz<Zuckerman. Mass<Dworsky. Timmins<O'Beirne. Bogue-Wensley Lead Co<Wenger. Postal Tel Cable Co. Brickner.

PART II.—Smith, J.—Ex parte business at 10 A. M.

TRIAL TERM—Part I.—Schmuck, J.—At 9:45 A. M.

Lebedansky<Regis Silk Mfg Co. Borman<C I S Candy. Raborg<Tiffany. Lowenthal<Union Ry. Weiss<Rader. Lefkowitz<Loretta Corp. Pulver<Silverman. Linshitz<Kleinschmidt. Gersh<Pikeway Rty. Brooks<Spindler. Jacobwitz<Weil (2). Silverman<N Y & Cuba Mail SS Co. Pesson<Sackin. Witkowsky<Reliable Bich & Dyeing Wks. Rosen<Levine. Eliza<Kane. Shunterwitz<Werner. De Peatro<Smith Auto Del Co. Beach<Bergoffin. Forman<Gilman. Sandroski<O'Brien. Adler<Stern. Polansky<N Y Rys. Weiner<I R T Co. Cooper<Sternau. Stern<Belt Line Rys. Templeton<Wm Ottman & Co. Goldman<Fertel. Emmer<Schimmel. Schwartz<Germansky. Eckstein<Grinoch. Skinner<Equit L A Socy. Libertini<Haas (2.) Burke<Riker & Hegeman. Sandow<Star Crayon Mfg Co.

Coopersmith<W. Knoepke Pamphlet, &c, Co. Revela<Stern. Hochman<Patton. Bruell<Snow. Marshall<Burgin. Finkelstein<Honig. Glanzman<Propos. Hyman<Cohn. Manneck<Menstell. Xadlec<Voelkl. Goldberg<Goldstein, (2.) State Bank<Berkowitz. Roszkowski<Hay Fdy, &c, Works. Schmal<Schram. Turk<N Y Rys. Nat Paint Syndicate<A. Klipstein Co. Wallenstein<Greegross. Hall<J. Anderson & Co. Avedon<Estate of J. Gridley, Inc. Loeffler<Mark Aron, Inc. Goldberg<Raskin. Freedman<same. Maurer<Moscowitz. Spiegel<Utility Rty Co. Blaine<Essandee Co. Osborne Co<Franco-Am Chem Co. Sicherman<N Y Rys. Niles<Schoenne. Lipshitz<Hechtman. Nathenson<N Y Rys. Ghant<Jacobs. Lebole<Gordon. Schneider<N Y C Int Ry.

SHORT CAUSE CALENDAR—Cases will be sent to Trial Term, Part II., for trial.

A P Youngblood, Inc<Independent Biscuit. Gordon<Barhett Cohen & Co. Clear.

PART II.—Finelite, J.—At 10 A. M.—Clear

PART III.—Allen, J.—Commercial calendar at 10 A. M.

Kelly<Marinucci. Sparks<Grassi. Herman<Finkelberg. Silver<Levison. Modern Silk Co<Weinstein. Policastro<Riley. C H Levitt & Co<D. L & W Inc. Rutchik<Brinn. McGrath, P & H Co<Gramont H Co. Temis<Stenograph F F Co. Parber<Mayfair Waist. Fried<Perman. Lipshitz<Hartford Accident, &c, Co. Case on.

PART IV.—Allen, J.—At 10 A. M.—Clear.

PART V.—Walsh, J.—At 10 A. M.—Case on.

PART VI.—Zeller, J.—At 10 A. M.—Case on.

PART VII.—La Fetra, J.—At 10 A. M.—Case on.

PART VIII.—O'Dwyer, C. J.—At 10 A. M.—Case on.

Referees Appointed.

SUPREME COURT—Giegerich, J.—Bankers Trust Co.<Livingston—Algernon S. Norton. Germania Life Ins. Co.<Picker—John R. Delafield.

SUPREME COURT—Erlanger, J.—Renville<Daniels—John H. Rogan.

Receivers Appointed.

SUPREME COURT—Erlanger, J.—Caroline Ray<Mollie Reichard—James R. Martin. Jefferson P. Smith<Lillie Lowenstein—Harry Sobel. Pauline H. McLellan<Mary T. Whicker—Maurice A. Lynch.

BRONX COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

SPECIAL TERM—(Chambers)—Mitchell, J.—At 10 A. M.—Ex parte business.

SPECIAL TERM—Mitchell, J.—Motion calendar.

Manor<Hawes. Fick<Drakard. Re Melitzer. Meehan<Meehan. German Sav Bk<Gotz. Teitz<Nurnberg Co. Ger Sav Bk<Meizel.

SPECIAL TERM FOR TRIALS—Mitchell, J.

Fuchs<Fuchs. Van Petten<Van Petten. Cramer<Cramer. Pagano<Pagano.

TRIAL TERM—Part I.—Hendrick, J.—No day calendar.

PART II.—Mitchell, J.—Adjourned for the term.

PART III.—Philbin, J.—Adjourned for the term.

Surrogate's Court.

CHAMBERS—Schulz, S.—Ex parte business.

Motions: Lillian Schramcek, Mary E Zimmerman, Mary R Schwarz, Antonio Crisuolo. Wills for probate: Stavros Acouropoulos, Catherine Patterson, James A Salisbury, Albin Carlson, Barbara Schmidt, Abraham Pindshaw, David Rosenberg, Leonard Hilsenbeck, Nathan Aronson. Accountings: Alpheus A Stoddard, Samuel Molostowsky, Catherine E Lawley, Helen M Lawley, Margaret Pratt.

TRIAL TERM—Schulz, S.—No day calendar.

County Court.

SPECIAL TERM—(Chambers)—Gibbs, J.—Ex parte business.

SPECIAL TERM FOR MOTIONS—Gibbs, J. Schapp<Wetz. People<Romano.

TRIAL TERM—Baker, J. Pizzani<Polcini. McHugh<Mayer.

Receiver Appointed.

SUPREME COURT—Mitchell, J. Frederick J Berger<Mary Scofield et al—Bernard Carr.

KINGS COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

APPELLATE DIVISION — Second Department—Recess.

APPELLATE TERM—Second Department—Recess.

SPECIAL TERM—Part I.—Benedict, J.—At 10 A. M.—Motions.

Whalen<Meyer. Textile Paper Co<Corey. Gregory<Gregory. Qoigney<Stewart. Gernimaro<Gernimaro. Matter 64th and 65th Sts. B'klyn Savings Bank<Anderson. Altman<Oakes. Townsend<Marino. Davenport<McLear. Enterprise Metal Bedstead Co<Bazar. Codev<Englis. Fletcher<Baylis. Silver<Drapkin & Goldberg Const Co. Conaty<Wemrich. Titcar<Richard Hellman, Inc. Kirschbaum<same. Leide<Eikema, (2.) Kessler<Kessler. Gausman<Lindner. B'way Trust Co<Maged. Meyer<Meyer. Riley<Gordon. Schonmann<B H RR. Burgess Bros, Inc<Epstein. Bergen<Bergen. Selner<Selner, (2.) Ziolkowski<Ralston. Duckman<Black. Lundy<CNY. A D Granger Co<Univ Machine Co. Cipolloni<Pyrene Mfg Co.

Wright<L I Trac Co. Lobejager<N Y & Q Co Ry Co. Kuehnel<same. Re 66th St, (Kings Co Lighting Co,) (2.) Re Namm, (Supt of Bldgs.) Tamarkin<Dwyer. Kelly<N Y & Q Co Ry Co. Yarborough<same. Johnston<same. Roe<Roe. Roosevelt<Shotter, (2) Land & Lien Co<Investors' Imp Co. Logan<N Y Sugar Ref Co. U S Drainage & Irrigation Co<Degnon Realt & Imp Co. Titcar<Richard Hellman, Inc. Kirschbaum<same. Matten<The Shetland Co, (2.) Conaty<Weinrich. Lawyers Mtg Co<Hutchings. Seplowitz<Aranow. Same<Salb. Mascaro<Wood. Roberts<Roberts. Abeles<Abeles. Re Carroll, (Church.) Re Peoples' Surety Co. Platt<Widmer. Silverman<Silverman. F D O'Kuffer<Sutz. J A O'Kuffer<same. Hipperling<Cunnion. Knipa<Kasdorf.

PART II.—Clark, J.—Ex parte business at 10 A. M.

Undefended divorces: Boedingheimer, Schneider, Czerniak, Moore, Malina, Deyo, Seib, Hutchings, Schwartz, Di Gregorio, Lignietti, Abbott, White, Wolff, Gargano, Ridolfi, Majestic, Freid.

SPECIAL TERM FOR TRIALS—No day calendar.

TRIAL TERM—Part I., Kelly, J.; Part II., Aspinall, J.; Part III., Van Siclen, J.; Part V., Callaghan, J.; Part VI., Kelby, J.; Part VII., Jaycox, J.

Zimmerman<B H RR. Bonoff<Nassau E R. Neidhardt<C I & B RR. Greenfield<Nass R R. Kaufman<Trommer. Am Veneered Column Co<CNY. Belting<Wight. Richardson<Mackenzie. Grebler<Scheider et al. Kellett<NY Rys. Finegan<Brooklyn Citizen. Sing<CNY. Brandes<Norwegian Home & Hospital. Brookes<B H RR. Ingenito<Concord Photo Play Co et al. Dinnerstein<5th Av Coach Co. Brown<Int R T. Kalish<Elliott & Co. Brand<B, Q Co & Sub RR. Bock<Frank Brewery. O'Donnell<C I & B RR et al. Hooper<Upton Rlty Co. Ruzuto<Kahn et al. Barrett<US Motor Co. Burns<Wilkinson. Moss<B H RR. Hall<same. Herbold<NY Cons RR. Olsen<same. Levine<Nassau RR. Saltman<NY Rys. Hilgren<Nat Casket. Sherman<NY Cons RR. Shea<B H RR. Cargill<NY Cons RR.

The following causes, if marked ready, will be passed for the day. No cause will be set down for a day upon this call:

Bell<N J Mach Exch. Kimmel<B H RR. Muskewitz<Brown. Mosebach<Osterout. Baron<B H RR et al. Schwartz<Barwin Realty Co. NY Consol RR<Webber. Salvati<B H RR. Sherman<Riehle. Eisenberg<Levine et al. Kiernan<Kiernan. Sears<Sheepshead Bay Ferry Co. Bloom<Nas R R. Glore<Int R T. Alberti<B H R R. Diodata<Isaacs. Curran<O'Brien. McDonald<Levy. Price<Nas RR. Bookman<Wells Fargo & Co. Ward<C I & B RR. Jauch<Audley Clarke Co. Henkin<Natelson. Scalora<Pasqualina. Madden<Heilig. Levinson<B, Q Co & S RR. Westlake<B H R R. Neal<same. Mirmolstein<Von Glahn. Jelley<Nassau RR. Ward<CNY. Neu<Interoc Oil Co. Friedman et al<Chataqua & Erie Grape. Gelman<Sup Oxygen Co of NY. Carroll<Kenny & CNY. Epstein<Kooperstein et al. Maeder<Deland et al. Jones<B H RR et al. Trow<Lack Mfg Co et al. Forbes<Ries. Kress<Avila. Valentino et al<Carroll et al.

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Surrogate's Court.

CHAMBERS—Ketcham, S.—Day calendar at 10 A. M.

Wills of: Clara L Backster, Alvin J Dudley, Maria McGuinness. Administration of: Peter Zinna. Accounting of: Joseph Casserly, Annie Norris, Irving Bennett, Richard Burchell, Hugh McCabe, Angelina Baurchell, Gertrude B Cyr, Jeremiah Reid, Eugene Monnia, Abraham Berger, James Touhey, John Clade. Estates of: George H Saward, Morris Michaeloff, Frank Aul, Anna Gonsalves.

County Court.

CIVIL CALENDAR—Part V.—May, J.

Coney Isl Const & Sup Co<Lewin. Leshaw<B, Q Co & Sub RR. Blavelt<B H RR. Napolitano<Di Filippis. McGoldrick<B, Q C & Sub RR. Spaeth<Roth.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

Supreme Court.

SPECIAL TERM—Young, J.—Motions.

TRIAL TERM—Recess.

County Court.

Young, Co. J.

McIntyre<NY C & H R RR. De Omo<Schmidt. Gallo<Wright. Delflavis<Tompkins. De Marco<Petrosino. Jorgensen<McCarter. Frand<Albrecht. Miller<Rogowsky. Burger<Peterson. Chester Hill Mot Car Co<West Elec RR. Leone<Larchmont Water Co. Hyatt<W P Auto Sales. Witt<Odell.

KENNECOTT DEALS PUBLIC.

Stockholders Hear the Details of Braden and Utah Purchases.

Stockholders of the Kennecott Copper Corporation learned at the annual meeting yesterday that the Braden Copper Company was bought and a large interest secured in the Utah Copper Company last year because the management did not know how long the corporation's Alaska properties would produce copper on a substantial scale.

"It is impossible to estimate the life of the mines," said W. C. Potter, Chairman, in response to a question, "and the Braden property was secured for the reason that its deposits of copper are large, insuring many years of operation. The purpose of strengthening the corporation's future prospects also was the reason for the large investment made in Utah Copper stock."

Details of the Utah purchase were made public, showing that 195,500 shares had been bought in the last twelve months at an average price of $109.37 a share. Of this total 126,500 shares were secured from J. P. Morgan & Co. at $112.50 a share. A part of this block was owned by the Morgan firm, a part by Guggenheim interests, and the balance by a Director, and was sold to the Kennecott Corporation at a price from 2 to 3 points under the open market quotation on the day the sale took place. As J. P. Morgan & Co. and the Guggenheim interests are represented on the Kennecott Directorate, the stockholders were asked to ratify the purchase. A resolution to this effect was passed unanimously.

The Kennecott treasury now holds about 37 per cent. of the outstanding Utah Copper stock. Mr. Potter, in reply to a question, said that no intention existed in the minds of the Directors to buy control, although further purchases might be made in case such action was found to be advantageous. Discussion of investments brought forth the fact that last August $3,000,000 United Kingdom and Ireland 5 per cent. bonds were bought, funds being drawn from an account with J. P. Morgan & Co. for the purpose. On Feb. 27 cash and copper on hand were valued at $25,019,000.

The retiring Directors, which included the full board, were re-elected for the ensuing year.

BURNS BROS.' EARNINGS.

Net Profit of $1,289,784 Equals More Than 21 Per Cent.

Burns Brothers, retail coal dealers, show in their report for the year ended March 31 that 3,009,632 tons of coal were sold and the gross receipts were $15,235,909. In the preceding year the sales were approximately 325,000 tons less. The coal last year cost the company $11,670,830, leaving a profit before operating expenses had been accounted for amounting to $3,565,079. This was reduced to $921,373, equal to slightly more than 30½ cents per ton, after expenses had been paid.

The company's outside income amounted to $368,410, and the total net profit of $1,289,784 was equal to slightly more than 21 per cent. on the common stock, after allowing for preferred stock dividends. The unappropriated surplus at the end of the year was $1,470,734.

New Security Issues Fall Off.

New security issues by railroad and industrial corporations during the month of April totaled $130,141,500, compared with $221,598,500 for the corresponding period last year, according to a compilation made by The Journal of Commerce. The falling off is due to preparations for Government financing on a large scale. Since Jan. 1 the new issues of stocks, bonds, and notes of railroad and industrial corporations have amounted to $838,712,300, compared with $992,576,800 for the first four months of 1916.

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CARRANZA BECOMES MEXICO'S PRESIDENT

Takes Oath of Office in New Republic After Four Years of Civil War.

20,000 PARADE IN CAPITAL

Cabrera and Obregon Are Expected to Hold Important Posts in the Cabinet.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

MEXICO CITY, May 1.—With the solemn words, "I swear it," President Venustiano Carranza today took office, reaffirming his covenant of faith with the Mexican people and his allegiance to the new Constitution which he had helped to form. After four years of civil war, which has devastated the republic, the new President was elected by a majority of more than 800,000 popular votes, the largest number ever cast in the history of Mexico.

Thousands of people thronged the streets to watch the President as he left the National Palace and drove to the Chamber of Deputies to take the oath. The German Minister and other foreign diplomats were received in silence by the multitude.

There were 20,000 persons in the escorting parade. Carranza was enthusiastically acclaimed as he passed through the streets. The ceremony in the Chamber was very brief, simply the taking of the oath to support the Constitution. The diplomatic corps was present. After the ceremony President Carranza went to the National Palace, where he received the congratulations of the diplomatic corps.

Ambassador Fletcher was the first to extend congratulations to the President. He expressed the hope that the Constitutional Government inaugurated today would be a great benefit to the nation. President Carranza replied in a short address of the Ambassador, returning thanks for the good wishes of the diplomatic corps and praying for the happiness of the nations represented by the ministers and the quick return of peace to the countries at war.

The first official act of President Carranza after the inauguration was the granting of a pardon to Ernesto Velasco, a workman condemned to death for heading a strike several months ago which cut off the power and light of the city, thereby paralyzing the public service. Today the workingmen's unions had a great manifestation, appealing to Carranza to pardon their comrade.

More than 40,000 persons assembled in front of the National Palace tonight for a celebration, which included fireworks, music by military bands, and elaborate illuminations. The celebrations will be continued over the Fifth of May, a national holiday.

General Carranza, who refused to acknowledge Huerta after Huerta usurped the Presidential chair left vacant by the murder of Francisco Madero, the first legally elected President, started with a handful of men a revolution which today has transformed Mexico into a stable legal Government. In spite of splits caused by ambitious chiefs, international difficulties, the lack of financial resources in a weak country which had not fully recovered from the first revolution that unseated Porfirio Diaz, who ruled for thirty years, Carranza, with strong patriotic determination, has placed the Mexican Republic again in its place with other nations.

The new President has proved himself a clever diplomat, skilled in the handling of men. He has braved the wrath of the aristocratic classes, which have ruled Mexico since the Spanish conquest, many enemies who have tried to force American intervention, dissension among his own soldiers, and tremendous foreign pressure caused by foreign interests who saw in his success the ruin of their hopes of holding concessions stolen from the natives through bribery and corruption under officials of the Diaz regime.

Carranza is backed by the new Constitution, which is the most liberal and advanced ever attempted. Putting aside war, he enters upon the more difficult task of changing over night military rule into civil government where law is supreme. Although counting on the support of military men who are armed civilians he faces a most trying period, for the giving of liberty to a people of which 90 per cent. is illiterate calls for unusual ability. In Carranza's Presidency Mexico faces her last chance as a nation. Resumption of the revolutionary spirit means the downfall of the Mexican Republic.

The President's success will depend largely on his selection of a new Cabinet, the personnel of which is not known yet. Probably the selections for portfolios will be Luis Cabrera, State; Pablo Gonzalez, Communication; Salvador Alvarade, Finance; Alberto Pani, Labor and Commerce; Pastor Rouaix, Fomento.

General Obregon, who was to be in the new Cabinet, resigned tonight as Minister of War and asked retirement from the army also, alleging that he is sick and needs rest. It is understood that General Agustin Castro will succeed him.

Yale Aviators Join Naval Reserve.

The members of Aerial Coast Patrol Unit No. 3, organized by Clinton D. Backus, a Yale student, took the Federal oath yesterday and were enrolled in the United States Naval Reserve. They will start training immediately on the estate of J. P. Knapp, at Mastic, L. I. The camp is in charge of a naval officer and aviator, E. K. Jaquith. The men who compose the unit are Clinton D. Backus, business manager of the Yale Record; Harold Pumpelly, the football star; William Connors, Leslie MacNaughton of the Yale crew, Joseph Nagel, Harold Howe, Thomas Dixon, Jr., Duncan Forbes, Jack Mitchell, David Dunlap, Edward Thurston, and Hamilton Gardner.

WOOLEN MILLS ARE BUSY.

Federal Contracts Are Said to be Worth About $50,000,000.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, May 1.—The American Wool and Cotton Reporter will say tomorrow:

"Considerable activity, with sales of 7,000,000 pounds, was displayed in the wool market last week. The supply of fine wool is growing particularly small. Large quantities of South American wool have also been sold during the last week. Big Government orders have been at the base of this movement.

"Government contracts are expected to be tremendous. Government requirements will take up a large amount of cloth and at the same time reduce the ability to produce such cloth. It is asserted that conscription will affect the textile industries at a time when operatives are likely to be scarce.

"The export situation has not improved much. In fact, the high prices have had a tendency to cut down the placing of orders. The influence of this curtailment is not of importance at present, but eventually it is likely to create a demand for domestic made goods. There is an accumulation of cotton goods orders in outside markets, which only the coming of peace can release.

"The woolen goods market is still inactive, largely because of the uncertainties of the market. The readjustment from ordinary civilian contracts to uniform cloth contracts has caused some difficulty, not only for the manufacturers but also for the buyer.

"According to the best information obtainable it seems certain that the governmental requirements will be much greater than was thought possible some time ago. There are statements made to the effect that large buying has already occurred and that merchandise to a value of $50,000,000 has already been purchased."

SLUMP IN GEM IMPORTS.

March Entries at This Port Less Than Half Those of February.

Submarine perils, high insurance rates, and a scarcity of gems in London and Amsterdam were thought to be responsible yesterday at the Custom House for a big slump in the importation of precious stones here in March, compared with February.

Figures given out yesterday by J. H. Lant, Chief Statistician of the Custom House, showed that the New York's purchases abroad in March aggregated only $1,684,133, against $3,816,679 in February, the first month of the unrestricted German under-sea warfare.

In detail the March entries were: Uncut diamonds, $856,915; cut diamonds, $235,804; pearls not strung, $421,518; other precious stones, cut, $165,391, and other precious stones, uncut, $5,505. During March the importations of imitation precious stones had a value of $102,128.

P. R. R. MOBILIZES WOMEN.

Superintendents to Report How Railroad Can Use Them.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company announced yesterday that it had issued orders for taking the first steps in the mobilization of women workers to fill the places of men in its service where the change is practicable. This follows recent action of the same kind by the Lehigh Valley and the Lackawanna.

Every General Superintendent on the Pennsylvania lines east of Pittsburgh has been directed by General Manager Elisha Lee to investigate and report promptly in what capacity girls or women can be efficiently employed on the railroad. They are to report also the number who can be so utilized. The object of the management, Mr. Lee said, was to release men from work which could be well performed by women, and thus increase the number of male employes available for those forms of railroad service for which women are not adapted. The Pennsylvania wishes it understood that the new policy does not mean that any male employe is to be dropped to make way for a woman. In the shifting of men to more suitable work as other men drop out, there may be a general movement which will call for the services of women. The General Superintendents will inquire whether girls or women may be advantageously employed in the lighter forms of machine-shop work and in train dispatching, signaling, ticket selling, and car cleaning. Determination to effect the general change was made after several months of experiments in the employment of women for clerical work in some of the larger offices at Broad Street station, Philadelphia. The results are said to have been successful.

Weather in Cotton and Grain States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Forecast:

N. Car.—Fair and cooler Wed. Thurs., fair; moderate n. w. winds, becoming variable Thurs.

S. Car. and Ga.—Fair Wed. and Thurs.; gentle to moderate n. w. winds, becoming variable Thurs.

Fla.—Fair Wed. and Thurs.; gentle, shifting winds, mostly n. and n. e. over n. Ala. and Miss.—Fair Wed. and probably Thurs.; gentle to moderate n. e. to e. winds.

Tenn.—Fair Wed. Thurs., fair in e., cloudy in w.

Ky.—Fair Wed. Thurs., unsettled, probably showers.

Ind.—Fair Wed. Thurs., unsettled, probably showers; moderate n. w. to n. e. winds.

Lower Mich.—Cloudy and continued cool Wed., with diminishing n. w. winds. Thurs., cloudy.

Upper Mich.—Cloudy and continued cool Wed. Thurs., fair and warmer; moderate n. w. winds, becoming variable.

Ohio—Fair and continued cool Wed. Thurs., cloudy; moderate n. w. to n. winds.

Ill.—Fair and warmer Wed., followed by showers Wed. night or Thurs.; cooler Thurs.

Mo.—Cloudy Wed., followed by showers in afternoon or night. Thurs., showers.

Wis.—Fair and warmer Wed. Thurs., cloudy; cooler in extreme s. e.

Minn.—Fair Wed. and probably Thurs.; warmer Thurs. in s.

Iowa—Cloudy Wed. Thurs., probably showers.

S. Dak.—Cloudy Wed. Thurs., unsettled and probably showers.

Neb.—Unsettled Wed. and Thurs.; probably showers.

Kan.—Showers Wed. and probably Thurs.; cooler Wed. and in s. e. Thurs.

La.—Fair Wed., warmer; Thurs. fair.

Ark.—Fair Wed., warmer; Thurs. unsettled.

Okla.—Probably showers Wed.; Thurs. fair.

E. Tex.—Fair Wed., warmer in n., e., and n. e.; Thurs. unsettled.

W. Tex.—Fair Wed. colder in north; Thurs. fair.

GERMAN REPORT ON MEXICO SEIZED

Consul General in Mexico City Tells of Conditions and Sentiment There.

FOES OUTNUMBER GERMANS

Civil Officials Often Are Hostile, He Says, but the Military Are Not So Bad.

Special to The New York Times.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 1.—The Providence Journal will print tomorrow an intercepted official report from the German Consul General in Mexico City to Dr. Schuchhardt in the German Foreign Office in Berlin. It is dated Mexico City, March 13 last, and gives the official German view of the general sentiment of the Mexican people toward foreigners and goes at length into the difficulties confronting the German residents in Mexico at the present time. It reads in part:

"The French, Italians and English are our chief opponents in Mexico. The two first are each about twice as numerous as the Germans, the English being somewhat fewer. French and English capitalists are powerful. The French possess many clothing businesses, spinning mills, two of the largest breweries, the shares of the large banks of issue, and many industrial and mining undertakings. The English capital is chiefly invested in mines and transport and oil companies, and is nearly equal to the French. The Italians are mostly poor, and there are only one or two capitalists among them.

"Relations between Germans, French and English were not bad before the war. All were united against the threatened economic and political danger from the United States. But nowadays they are very bad indeed.

"Civil officials are often disposed to show hostility to us, but we do not find the military so bad. The Carranza party has absorbed many socialistic elements, which get their information from French and Italian sources, and this explains the hostility of the civil officials.

"General economic depression has calmed down the anti-German agitation, and the outspoken hostility to all foreigners indiscriminately has helped. The present government is enthusiastically Pan American and in its press often appear opinions showing a certain amount of contempt for the obvious decadence of Europe.

"The majority of the Germans here have maintained their German nationality, scarcely any having assumed that of Mexico, and only a few who have lived long in the States possess papers of American citizenship. In their sentiments they are without exception Germans by nationality, and that their sympathies in the event of a conflict between our Fatherland and the States would be on the former side is quite obvious, even as regards those who have lived a long time in the States.

"For the material and intellectual interests of our Germans here the outbreak of war would be a serious blow. One must remember that today our relations with home are solely possible through the United States. Our route we receive the only reliable telegraphic and postal news about European events. Goods, books and money can only pass that way between us and home. War with the United States would at once stop all these communications, and we should be entirely cut off, almost as if we were in a hostile country."

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 1.—Twenty-two new corporations, having aggregate capitalization of $163,500, were chartered today. They include:

Silver Securities Corp., Manhattan, stocks, bonds, personal property, 1,000 shares no par value, active capital $5,000; J. F. Field, M. W. Gorge, H. H. Jacob, 600 West 157th St.

Oxford Tripoli Soles Co., Manhattan, bricks, tiles, pipes, pottery, china, terra cotta, $25,000; J. Potts, A. F. Walter, A. H. Strickland, 66 Wall St.

Klein & Klein, Inc., Manhattan, razors, brushes, hones, cutlery, $5,000; L. J. and J. Klein, 500 Manhattan Av.

Smith Blank Book Co., Inc., Manhattan, blank books, manifolding, multigraphing, $60,000; F. J. Smith, R. Tindale, M. F. McAlpin, 24 East 62d St.

Uncle Sam Statue and Picture Co., Inc., Troy, printing, electrotyping, engraving, $10,000; C. E. and J. F. Lyon, C. A. Smith, Troy.

Breithaupt Hat Co., Inc., Manhattan, hatters, gentlemen's furnishings, $5,000; G. and A. Breithaupt, 700 Lexington Av.

Adams Canning Co., Inc., Rome, preserving and canning business, $12,000; J. P. Olney, G. P. Bailey, A. Wettengel, 548 Greenwich St.

The Lyon Doll Co. Inc., Manhattan, dolls and dolls' clothing, $10,000; E. and M. Lyon, S. T. Turner, 401 East 122d St.

Ethelpine Realty Co., Inc., Queens, real estate business, $5,000; C. H. and S. Burger, F. Sacks, Rockaway Beach.

The John Benedict Co., Inc., Sherburne, automobiles, garage, $30,000; C. L. Doolittle, G. W. and J. N. Benedict, Sherburne.

Nisson Trading Corp., Manhattan, import and export of merchandise, $10,000; F. F. G. and F. Fritsche, Brighton Heights.

Seaboard Lithographing Co., Inc., Manhattan, lithographing, printing, and publishing, $6,000; T. J. Hobe, F. C. Petscher, G. Hofer, 12 Spruce St.

Eastern Curtain Works, Inc., Manhattan, curtains, bed sets, table covers, $5,000; M. Schillea, J. Nebenschoss, H. Slade, 153 Delancey St.

George Schlosser Hotel, Inc., Manhattan, hotel and restaurant, $6,000; A. McCabe, G. and H. Schlosser, 65 West 42d St.

Capital increases: Manhattan Sand Co., Inc., Manhattan, $50,000 to $300,000; Oswego Milling Co., Oswego, $100,000 to $200,000; Hyde Real Estate Corp., Manhattan, $750,000 to $1,250,000; Good Laboratory, Inc., Bronx, $1,000 to $25,000; Pine & Corbett, Saranac Lake, $50,000 to $100,000.

Capital reduction: Washington Co., Manhattan, $15,000 to $1,500.

Authorizations: Cupples Co., manufacture ropes, cordage, twine, $1,000,000; representative, B. T. Allen, 386 3d Av., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Producers Development Co., Oklahoma, develop coal, oil, and mineral lands, $25,000; representative, Y. T. Blairso, Buffalo.

Killion Rubber Co., Massachusetts, rubber goods, $50,000; representative, H. B. Cable, 9 Ninth Av.

Withdrawal: The Oxford Tripoli Co., Ltd., Canada.

Dissolutions: Jackson's, Inc., Manhattan; Hoch Garage, Inc., Brooklyn; J. B. Almer & Co., Inc., Manhattan; Crystal Spring Brook Trout Co., Inc., Manhattan; Modern Lithographing and Printing Corp., Buffalo; Central Moron Sugar Co., Manhattan; Field, Franklin Co., Inc., Manhattan.

New Jersey Charters.

Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, N. J., May 1.—Charters filed: Brunswick Manufacturing Co., New Brunswick, manufacture and deal in dyes and chemicals, $30,000; George R. Morrison, J. H. Helm, Horace E. Barwis, New Brunswick.

Wateree Electric Co., Jersey City, deal in water rights and power, $7,500,000; Walter C. Parker, Alexander H. Sands, David C. Phillips, Jersey City.

Ridgewood Ideas, Inc., Ridgewood, deal in agricultural products, guns, ammunition, military equipment, &c., $10,000; D. A. Garber, George U. White, James H. Dunning, Frank F. Knothe, William E. Remington, Ridgewood.

American Forging Co., Acquacknonk Township, Passaic County, electrical engineers and toolmakers, $100,000; Peter A. Cavicchia, J. H. Steinhardt, Frederick W. Schlosstein, Newark.

Delaware Charters.

Special to The New York Times.

DOVER, Del., May 1.—Charters filed:

North American Oil Corp., drill and bore for oil, gas, and minerals, and develop and market the same, $12,500,000; Herbert E. Latter, C. L. Rimlinger, Clement M. Egner, local Wilmington incorporators.

Missouri Pacific Railroad Corp. in Nebraska, operate and maintain railroads within the State of Nebraska, $4,000,000; George F. Jebbitt, New York; Herbert E. Latter, C. L. Rimlinger, Wilmington, Del.

McAllister Bros., Inc., do a general ship owners' business, $2,000; James P. McAllister, John E. McAllister, Brooklyn; D. C. Chase, South Amboy, N. J.

Grass Fibre Pulp and Paper Corp., manufacture paper and paper products of all kinds, $150,000; Charles E. Daniels, Samuel H. Wandell, New York; John M. Shaw, West New Brighton, Staten Island.

Holds Tractor Co., manufacture and sell tractors, automobiles, and vehicles of all kinds, $2,500,000; Herbert E. Latter, C. L. Rimlinger, Clement M. Egner, local Wilmington (Del.) incorporators.

American Export Corp., transact a general mercantile and commercial business, $500,000; Herbert E. Latter, C. L. Rimlinger, Clement M. Egner, local Wilmington incorporators.

BUSINESS WORLD

Buyers' Wants

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COATS.—Jobber looking at ladies' and misses' Fall cloth coats. Call morning, 120 West 29th St., tenth floor.

COATS AND SUITS.—Jobber looking at Fall coats and suits; quick action given. 510 6th Av., 8th floor.

COATS AND SUITS.—Jobber looking at Fall samples, pile fabric and cloth. 29 West 30th, 9th floor.

COATS.—Big jobber looking at Fall coats; quick action given. 22-26 West 32d St., 12th floor.

COATS AND SUITS.—Jobber looking at Fall samples; quick action. 38 West 32d, eighth floor.

COATS.—Will look at coats, also pile fabric of better kind all day. 145 West 30th, 11th floor.

COATS AND SUITS.—Looking at Fall samples, of better grade. 45 West 25th, first floor.

COATS.—Jobber looking at cloth and pile fabric coats. 12th floor, 22 West 26th St.

COATS.—Placing orders plush and cloth models. 120 West 27th, 12th floor.

COATS.—Jobber looking at infants' colored coats for Fall. Lewitt, 44 West 28th.

COATS.—Jobber looking at Fall coats. 159 West 25th, 7th floor.

COTTON GOODS.—We pay highest prices for jobs in cotton goods; cash; any quantity. N 284 Times Downtown.

CORDUROY, narrow wale; all colors; any quantity. Tel. Spring 3989.

CREPE DE CHINE.—Open to buy any quantity of three and four thread crepe de chine; also Georgette, for spot cash. Shapiro Bros., 516 Broadway.

DRESSES.—Contractors on stout dresses; must be able to furnish own samples. F 161 Times.

DRESSES, COATS AND SUITS.—Open for jobs, spot cash. Handels, 836 6th Av.

DRESSES.—Contractors wanted on cotton dresses; submit samples. F 160 Times.

DRESSES.—Jobber buying silk and cotton dresses. Room 804, 27 West 24th.

GABARDINES.—Better grade; any quantity. Farragut 9090.

PIECE GOODS.—Cotton, any plain color or fancy, at a price; quantity no object; for spot cash. 3 West 29th St., Room 406.

PLUSHES.—Will pay spot cash for Peerless or Salts. H. Rudinsky, 159 West 25th.

PLUSHES.—Will buy all kinds of plushes; spot cash. P. Hutner, 48 West 25th.

PLUSH.—We are open for all kinds of seal plush. Stuyvesant 4360.

POPLINS.—Copenhagen, 90610, and tan, gray of Dobson's at $1.40; navy and black Dobson's at $1.87½. H. Drusin & Son, Farragut 3486.

POPLINS.—Amoskeag, 8158, 9058; Whitmans, 767, navy, black. Madison Square 1265.

SATEEN, white, good quality; can be imperfect; open for big quantity; spot cash. University Button, 1440 West 36th.

SATINS.—Pointed or brocaded; submit samples, quantities and prices; cash. F 166 Times.

SERGES.—Interested in 12-14 ounce serges. Chelsea 8866.

SILK.—Waist manufacturer desires to connect with mill making crepes of Georgette; can use entire output; cash proposition. F 157 Times.

SILKS.—We pay spot cash for silks of all descriptions; any quantities. Silk & Dry Goods Exchange, 423 Fourth Av.

SKIRTS.—Jobber placing orders better grade wash skirts. Call with samples during mornings, Room 404, 38 West 33d.

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WEARING APPAREL.—Ladies' wearing apparel, open for jobs in exceptional values of suits, cotton, and silk dresses and waists. Phone Madison Square 2074.

Offerings to Buyers

AMOSKEAG POPLINS.—High shades; will sell cheap; also high shade velours. Warren Woolen Co., 41 West 25th St.

BROADCLOTH.—1587, 60 pieces, $2; 9000 corduroy, 150 pieces, 89c; 9000 Whitman's, 1210, 150 pieces, 4¼c. 4475 Gramercy.

BROADCLOTH. — Columbia, botany, 150 pieces; plushes cheap. Room 1209, 95 Madison Av.

BROADCLOTH.—Botany, $3.15; 110 pieces, all colors; immediate delivery. Madison Square 8101.

BROADCLOTH.—100 pieces Botany, 315, colors, $2.10 net cash. F 149 Times.

CLOTH.—Silverbloom; Lisher-Whitman's, 50 pieces, assorted colors, to close out. Graber & Weiff, 118 West 22d St. Chelsea 3081.

COATS AND SUITS.—1,200 in this season's best fabrics and styles priced for quick action. J. F. Slater & Co., 22 West 32d.

COATS, Suits.—Sacrificing entire stock; all leading styles, colors, and materials. Cohen & Edelman, 35 West 31st.

COATS AND SUITS. — Hundreds of new models at great sacrifice; mostly navy. Hooper & Gregg, 360 Fifth St.

COATS AND SUITS.—500 coats and suits, to close out at a price; also taffeta. S. Kurlan, 65 West 36th.

COATS AND SUITS.—Wonderful lot, to close out at a great sacrifice; all sizes and colors. The Fanard Co., 34 West 37th.

COATS AND SUITS.—Taffetas and cloths at a sacrifice. Max Lempert, 120 West 18th St.

COATS. — Big job children's fancy coats; close out cheap. Schwartz Bros., 35 West 15th St.

COATS.—High shades, poplins, and velours, at sacrifice prices. 141 W. 36th.

COATS, SUITS, closing cheap, smart capes, silk coats, suits. Talbot, 114 W. 27th.

COATS AND SUITS on hand to close out. T. Weinberg & Sons, 144 West 27th St.

COATS.—High shade poplins and velours below cost. Jos. Sterman, 147 West 26th.

COATS.—Must close out; great sacrifice prices. Kaplan & Weinstein, 150 West 22d.

COATS, Suits, to close; good styles; all shades. Jacobus Bros., 1,261 Broadway.

COATS, suits; closing out; latest models below cost. Bernstein, 118 West 27th.

COATS AND SUITS.—Jobs to close out. M. B. Kaufman, 6 West 32d.

COATS.—Cloths and silks, to close out. Hirsch & Bro., 153 West 27th.

COATS.—Velours and velour checks to close out. Neuman & Hiller, 12 West 32d.

COATS, SUITS.—Must close out, great sacrificed prices. D. Gutman, 43 W. 24th.

CORDUROY. — Juilliards, white, narrow wale, 9000, to close out, cheap. Lyrick Dress Co., 146 West 25th.

CORDUROYS.—All colors on hand; immediate delivery. Gramercy 2640.

CREPE DE CHINE, Crepe Meteor, Georgette, Wash Satin, Charmeuse.—Raw or dyed, direct from mill. Henry J. Jackson, 20 East 20th St.

DRESSES.—Overstocks of dresses, waists, skirts, suits, and coats, Spring and Summer styles; fine assortment and attractive prices; sold in our salesrooms, 1 Main St., Brooklyn. The Charles William Stores.

DRESSES.—Children's colored dresses to close out; sizes, 2-6, 6-14. S. Weider, 24 University Place.

DRESSES.—Taffetas, crepe de chine, shantung, close out. Theodore Wolfert, 39 West 32d.

DRESSES.—Jobs silk and party dresses to sell at a low price. Levy & Frankel, 31 West 31st.

DRESSES to close; snappy styles; all fashionable shades. Jacobus Bros., 1,261 B'way.

JERSEYS, all wool, at a price; 54 inches wide; all colors. Farragut 9090.

KHAKI-KOOL, Mallinson's, 3 pieces, sport designs, cheap. Goldberg & Rosenblatt, 187 West 25th.

LAWNS, Gabardines and Piques for immediate delivery. Irving Rosenzweig, 1,261 Broadway, Madison Square 9275.

LEATHERETTE.—Stock artificial leatherette always on hand. Plymouth Rubber Co., 225 4th Av.

NAINSOOK.—50,000 yards, 30 inches wide; must be cheap; cash. Spring 368.

PLUSHES.—Blumenthal and Peerless; immediate; reasonable. Chelsea 9808.

POPLINS.—American, in gold and green, at $1.82½ net. Farragut 8334.

POPLIN COATS to close out. J. Dunn Co., 127 West 25th St.

RAINCOATS. — 10,000 all kinds raincoats and capes; sell cheap. We must go to the front. Schwartz Bros., 31 West 15th St.

SERGES, all wool and cotton warp, storm and French serges; also white serges at the price. Gramercy 225.

SERGES.—Amoskeag 7301, black and navy; special price for cash. Phone Farr. 9123.

SERGES.—American 09050, navy and black. Farragut 9090.

SILKS.—20 pieces pearl gray taffeta, to close out, cheap. Madison Square 8327.

SNAP FASTENERS.—Get our quotations before placing your order elsewhere. Snap Fastener Sales Co., 1,328 Broadway, Greeley 2982.

SNAP FASTENERS, brass, 7-16 in. wide; immediate delivery. Feils, 29 Cooper Square.

SPRING DRESS FASTENERS.—$3.50 carded, $3.25 factory. Z 309 Times Annex.

SUITS.—Will sacrifice entire stock of silk and cloth suits to make room for Fall merchandise. Edwin Wilensky & Co., 129 West 29th St.

SUITS.—100 suits, novelty, to close out at a very reasonable price. Kaufman Bros. & Ruchman, 122 West 26th.

SUITS.—Job, high-grade children's and misses' suits to close out; sacrifice. Big G Cloak and Suit Co., 32 West 20th St.

SUITS.—500 high class models, at greatly reduced prices. B. Hirschhorn & Co., 39 West 29th St.

Offerings to Buyers

SUITS.—800 to close out, including taffetas. S. & S. Garment Co., 22 West 27th.

SUITS.—Taffetas and satins, closing out. Hirsch & Bro., 153 West 27th.

TUSSAH SILK and COTTON; large quantity in all colors at 32½c; 2 per cent. cash. Spring 2830.

TWEEDS.—English tweeds and novelty coatings on hand; immediate delivery. Gramercy 2640.

VELOURS.—American 15002, rose, Copen, blue, apple, green. Phone Madison Square 8101.

VELOURS.—Coating weights, suiting, to close out; Fall colors. Madison Square 1265.

WAISTS.—Silk and cotton waists, to close out. 15 West 20th, 6th floor.

WORK SHIRTS.—Have material for 400 dozen work shirts; bargain. C. B., 415 Times.

Help and Situations Wanted.

AMERICAN MANUFACTURER, going to Argentina on his own business, desires side line on commission. J 125 Times.

COMMERCIAL PAPER.

Yesterday 4¼@4¾ per cent. for the best names
Monday.... 4¼@4¾ " " " " "
The quotations are for six months' paper.

Bleached Goods Prices Go Up.

Wamsutta 4-4 staple bleached goods have been advanced to these levels by Watts, Stebbins & Co. of this city: OXX, 19¼c; OXB, 19¼c; jeans 18½c; nightrobes, 21c; ICT twill, 22c; Burleigh longcloth, 18c; cambric, 18c; nainsook, 18c; longcloth, 18c, and percale, 21c.

Color Card of Value.

The leading jobbing house of the city has found the color card issued by the Textile Color Card Association of the United States of quite some value. The lining department of this concern, it was announced some time ago, has adopted the standard color card shades. It now develops that this department has done a record business largely on account of the fact that stores carrying these linings are able to match them with outside materials used in garments.

Long Service Honored.

William J. Kenney, President of the Holland Manufacturing Company of this city, makers of spool silks, was given a dinner last night at the Hotel Brevoort by the company's selling force and mill department heads, the occasion being the forty-fifth anniversary of his connection with the business. A Tiffany bronze statue was presented to him by the men giving the dinner, while the members of the company presented Mr. Kenney with a gold watch. The presentation speeches were made by W. B. Jackson and J. H. Gutterson, both of Boston.

Crude Rubber Is Featureless.

The local crude rubber market has been featureless in the last week, aside from a little hardening of prices on the plantation grades as a result of shipping difficulties and the uncertainty of arrivals. Both first latex and smoked sheets were quoted here yesterday at 84 cents a pound for spots, 82½ cents for May, and 81 cents for June. Spot lots of up-river fine, on the other hand, were lower than a week ago. Yesterday's figure on this grade was 74½ cents, while both up-river coarse and Upper Caucho ball were steady at 52 cents for spots.

Hard Coal Prices Go Up.

The Coal Trade Journal will say today that, following the wage advances granted the anthracite miners last week, the trade has been waiting for a list of price readjustments. The first definite announcement regarding May prices was made on Monday, and the increase over the April price amounts to 35 cents on the prepared sizes. Allowing for the usual 10-cent monthly advance on May 1, this means that the circular has been advanced 25 cents. Pea and buckwheat are also advanced 25 cents. Surprise is expressed in trade circles at the moderate extent of the increase. The local bituminous market is firm and comparatively bare of spot coal.

Need a Variety of Shades.

The variations of the cape styles would attain a larger measure of success, it was suggested today, if a closer touch with affairs in the garment trade, if a larger number of shades were shown. He pointed out that in the great majority of cases, the new styles were offered only in navies and blacks. This restricted range of shades might have been decided upon because the manufacturers were afraid to take chances with any fancy colors. Owing to the novelty of the fashion, however, it would seem more profitable for the garment makers to bring out a wider range of colors instead of waiting for the demand on them, as some of them are doing.

Conscription and Employers.

The method to be followed in dealing with employes who are drafted is not the only worry caused in business circles by the conscription measure. A credit man was trying to decide yesterday what he ought to do in the case of accounts where the principal was within the age limits making him liable to call. Whether or not the Government will decide that such men come in the class of those who have dependents, in this case employes, was the question for which he was seeking an answer. The ready-to-wear business, which is a comparatively young industry, has a great number of men owning their own businesses who are liable to be drafted.

Clearing the Decks.

Although there is a growing belief in the garment trade that the present unsettled condition of business will shortly take a turn for the better, everything is being done to clear out surplus merchandise and get into the best working shape possible. The dress goods houses are getting painful evidence of this desire on the part of the garment manufacturers to "trim ship." Even the leading concerns are getting repeated orders to cancel goods that were ordered several months ago for shipment now. Although this is the usual state of affairs at this time in the year, it is understood that the canceling is even more severe than in previous years.

More Duck Orders Are Placed.

Orders calling for 723,000 yards of 36½-inch No. 9 olive drab cotton duck for army use were placed here yesterday through the Cotton Goods Committee assisting the Council of National Defense, the goods supplying to requisitions of the Rock Island Arsenal. All of the orders placed called for piece-dyed cloths, and the yardages were distributed as follows: The Turner-Halsey Company, 185,000; John H. Meyer & Co., 150,000; the Otto Goetze Company, 250,000 and 108,000, and Wellington, Sears & Co., 30,000, (spots.) Larger quantities still are wanted, and mills that can make the goods are asked to get in touch with Lincoln Grant of Wellington, Sears & Co., who is Chairman of the committee. The goods wanted are 37½ inches wide in the gray, count 44 by 31, and are made of 12-3-ply warp and 14-4-ply filling.

Gray Goods Inquiries Improve.

Gray goods inquiries continued to improve in this market yesterday, but sales of any consequence—more than one or two thousand pieces—were infrequent, if not altogether missing, so far as local buyers were concerned. On the other hand, out-of-town bag manufacturers, converters, and jobbers were reported to be buying heavy sheetings and other coarse constructions as well. The local call was mostly for printcloths, practically all the staple constructions being asked about during the day. Both first and second hand goods were involved in the business that was done, but, as said before, there could have been more of it. Prices continued firm at these levels:

39-inch, 80-80s...11¼c | 38½-inch, 64-60s..*8¾c
39-inch, 72-76s...10¾c | 38½-inch, 64-56s..*8½c
39-inch, 68-72s...9¾c | 38½-inch, 60-48s..*7¾c
39-inch, 56-44s...6¾c | 38½-inch, 60-48s..*7¼c
38½-inch, 64-64s..8¾c | 27-inch, 64-60s...5¾c
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ARRIVAL OF BUYERS

Arriving Buyers may register in this column by telephoning Bryant 1000.

AKRON, Ohio—M. O'Neil Co.; P. R. Tobin, ready-to-wear, basement; 37 W. 26th.

ALBANY, N. Y.—W. M. Whitney & Co.; H. L. Bartlett, silks; 41 Union Square.

AMSTERDAM, N. Y.—Silverman Bros.; A. Silverman, general mdse.; Continental.

BALTIMORE—Hutzler Bros. Co.; Miss M. Swearer, Miss E. Garland, embroideries; Imperial.

BALTIMORE—Baltimore Bargain House; C. Mulliken, drug sundries; 354 4th Av.

BALTIMORE—Stewart & Co.; Miss M. H. Schofield, laces, embroideries; J. West, china, glass; 2 W. 37th.

BALTIMORE—Hochschild, Kohn & Co.; C. M. Langfeld, leather goods; 220 5th Av.

BALTIMORE—Hutzler Bros. Co.; A. A. Hall, glassware; Breslin.

BALTIMORE—A. Eisenberg; A. L. Schrans, millinery; 404 4th Av.

BALTIMORE—Schloss Bros. Co.; N. Schloss, woolens; 230 5th Av.; Netherland.

BALTIMORE—Baltimore Bargain House; M. G. Frazier, laces, women's neckwear, underwear; 354 4th Av.

BOSTON—Wm. Filene's Sons Co.; H. B. Scotes, shoes; 116 W. 32d.

BOSTON—Jordan Marsh Co.; W. F. Varnum, boys' clothing; 432 4th Av.

BOSTON—Jordan-Marsh Co.; F. A. Burdick, women's goods; W. N. London, leather goods; 432 4th Av.

BOSTON—R. H. White Co.; A. H. Shannon, silks, dress goods; S. Falk, boys' clothing; 470 4th Av.

BOSTON—Gilchrist Co.; W. J. Hilliard, veilings, neckwear, trimmings; 404 4th Av.; Imperial.

BOSTON, Mass.—Wm. Filene's Sons Co.; Miss Nelson, graduation dresses; Miss O'Rourke, veilings, neckwear; Mr. Michaels, leather goods; Mr. Cooper, general buyer, basement; 116 W. 32d.

CHARLOTTE, N. C.—Charlotte Mfg. Co.; W. H. Dula, woolens; St. Andrew.

CHICAGO—Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co.; Mrs. Kosakoff, ladies' neckwear, veilings; 404 4th Av.

CHICAGO—A. Smith & Co.; J. A. Ryan, carpets; Grand.

CHICAGO—Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co.; Miss Gill, millinery; Mrs. Frazier, dresses; 404 4th Av.

CHICAGO—Mandel Bros.; A. N. Hall, clothing, 18 E. 22d.

CHICAGO—Marshall Field & Co.; E. P. Coler, wholesale notions, buttons; 1,107 B'way.

CHICAGO—Stanley & MacGibbons Co.; L. D. Sacks, women's, misses', juniors' coats, suits, dresses, silk, cotton waists, petticoats, house dresses, kimonos; 55 W. 17th.

CHICAGO—Sears, Roebuck & Co.; Miss L. Healy, women's gloves; J. E. Hill, ribbons; H. C. Carson, women's coats; 116 5th Av.

CINCINNATI—John Shillito Co.; H. W. Peters, men's, boys' clothing; 432 4th Av.

CINCINNATI—Cincinnati Cloak & Suit Co.; H. S. Livingston, cloaks, woolens; Sherman Square.

CINCINNATI, Ohio—Irwin's; Miss L. Rapport, waists; 404 4th Av.

CLEVELAND, Ohio—Hirsch Co.; Miss E. Cohen, silks, cotton dresses; 470 4th Av.

COLUMBUS, Ohio—Morehouse-Martens Co.; M. Charters, suits, skirts; St. Andrew.

CUMBERLAND—Cumberland D. G. Co.; J. S. McCauley, notions; 395 B'way.

DAYTON, Ohio—Rike-Kumler Co.; Miss K. Swinger, waists; 220 5th Av.

DETROIT, Mich.—F. L. Hudson Co.; Miss S. Barkume, laces, ribbons, embroideries; L. Brownhill, cloaks, suits, basement; 354 4th Av.

FALL RIVER, Mass.—R. A. McWhirr Co.; J. Conn, cloaks, suits; 404 4th Av.; Wallick, HELENA, Ark.—Ware & Solomon; J

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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Prices Advance on Another Peace Story—No Railroad Dividend Increases.

The stock market was given two interesting suggestions yesterday which led to a great deal of discussion, and to a moderate increase in the amount of trading. The session opened with the promise of repeating Monday's dull performances, with prices showing a little better tendency. Before noon the railroad list was given a setback on the intimation from the Interstate Commerce Commission that the carriers applying for a rate increase should not raise their dividend disbursements during the period of the war. In the afternoon quotations, after dropping away, began to reflect a better public attitude toward the market, and particularly that part of it housing what traders call the peace stocks.

It was at first reported that the railroad Commissioners had come out flatly with a declaration that the carriers should not raise their disbursements to stockholders. The commission's attitude was not so positive as that; but it amounted to about the same thing. With a view to learning what the carriers would do with higher revenues, if they are granted the rate increase they are asking for, the companies have been requested to state the extent to which they are willing to limit the rate of dividend to be paid during the continuance of the war. It is hardly to be expected that the commission would look kindly upon an application from a road which considered that it needed increased rates in order to pay its stockholders more liberally. On the other hand, the commission's request indicates that it is clearing away the nonessentials in order to get down to the necessities of the railroad situation, and the opinion prevails in railroad circles that this means the granting of substantially all that has been asked.

The Berliner Tageblatt's announcement that the German Chancellor will make another peace offer in an address to the Reichstag on Thursday was received with more interest than the report to a similar effect which came out through a neutral paper last week. It is not believed that the time is ready for an offer acceptable to the Allies, but conditions are more favorable by far than they were when the Chancellor's former proposals were published. The partial lifting of the censorship in London has revealed a situation much less one sided than most people had pictured. The British and French Commissioners now in this country have not minimized the effectiveness of the submarine war, and it appears that Berlin is in a better trading position to discuss peace terms. However, it is not thought in well informed financial circles that anything definite will follow directly upon the Chancellor's revised offer. Some of the stocks which are considered in line for better earnings when war ends, notably those of the shipping companies, advanced rather easily on the new peace outlook.

BALK AT SMELTERS' OFFER.

Owners of Large Block of Securities Stand Out for Better Times.

Some of the large holders of American Smelters Securities Company's 6 per cent. Series A cumulative preferred stock are not disposed to accept the offer which has been made to all shareholders by the American Smelting and Refining Company looking to the retirement of the Securities A stock. It was learned yesterday that owners of several thousand shares were standing out for an exchange on better terms than those which have been offered.

In the process of wiping out the American Smelters Securities Company holders of the preferred B stock received an offer in exchange for their shares of a like amount in 5 per cent. bonds issued by the Smelting and Refining Company, which guarantees the interest, and it has been announced that a majority of the stock has been deposited with the Central Trust Company under the terms offered. There was $30,000,000 of the preferred B stock outstanding, and $16,649,000 of the preferred A.

It is now proposed by the Guggenheims to exchange more of the Smelting Company's 5 per cent. bonds for the preferred A stock, dollar for dollar, with a premium of $7.50 a share. It is held by some of the holders of the A stock that the cash payment of $7.50 a share does not compensate them for surrendering a 6 per cent. stock for a 5 per cent. bond. They argue that on the basis of the relative value of the preferred A and B stock, the former is entitled to 20 per cent. more in exchange, due to the difference in dividend yield.

New Trust Company Opens Doors.

The newly organized Mercantile Trust and Deposit Company opened for business yesterday morning at 115 Broadway. The officers' desks were decorated with flowers sent by banking friends and former associates of Chellis A. Austin, the President. At the close of business, it was said that the first day had brought in initial deposits in excess of $2,000,000.

Trading Quiet on Paris Bourse.

PARIS, May 1.—Trading was quiet on the Bourse today. Three per cent. rentes, 61 francs 50 centimes for cash; exchange on London, 27 francs 18 centimes; 5 per cent. loan, 87 francs 50 centimes, ex-coupon.

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Five months	4¼@4½	Four months	4½@4¾
Six months	4¼@4½	Five months	4½@4¾
		Six months	4½@4¾

Bank Acceptances.

Eligible for rediscount with Reserve Bank, 60 to 90 days ....3 @3¼
Not eligible, 60 to 90 days ....3½@4

Commercial Paper.

Best-Known Names.
30 to 90 days ....4¼@4½
4 to 6 months ....4½@4¾

Other Names.
4 to 6 months 5

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Range of Rates.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Ch'ge.
Sterling—				
Demand	$4.7555	$4.7555	$4.7555	....
Cables	4.76 1/16	4.76 1/16	4.76 1/16	....
Francs—				
Demand	5.71¼	5.71½	5.70¼	+.01⅞
Cables	5.70¼	5.70½	5.70¼	+.00⅛

Closing Rates.

Normal Rates of Exch.		—Yesterday's Close— Demand or Checks.	Cable.
4.8665	London	4.7555	4.76 1/16
5.1825	Paris	5.71¼	5.70¼
	China—		
	Hongkong	57.60	57.75
	Peking	90.25	90.87½
	Shanghai	85.87½	86.00
19.295	Greece	20.00	20.05
32.44	India—		
	Bombay	32.25	32.37½
	Calcutta	32.25	32.37½
5.1826	Italy	7.03½	7.02¾
49.84	Japan—		
	Kobe	50.75	50.87½
	Yokohama	50.75	50.87½
50.00	Philippine Islands— Manila	51.12½	51.25
40.10	Holland	40.87½	41.00
51.85	Russia	28.10	28.20
26.79	Scandinavia—		
	Copenhagen	28.10	28.30
	Stockholm	29.65	29.80
	Christiania	29.10	29.30
19.295	Spain	21.85	22.00
	South America—		
42.44	Buenos Aires	43.25	43.37½
32.44	Rio	25.25	25.37½
5.1826	Switzerland	5.14	5.13

TIME BILLS ON LONDON.

—Bankers.— 60 Days.	90 Days.	—Commercial.— 60 Days.	90 Days.
$4.72¼	$4.70¼	$4.71¾	$4.69⅝

Clearing House Exchanges.

Clearing House exchanges, $697,145,101; balance, $41,841,860; Sub-Treasury credit balance, $2,016,355; Federal Reserve Bank credit balance, $5,187,459.

Domestic Exchanges.

Boston, par; Chicago, 15c discount; St. Louis, 20@10c discount; San Francisco, 10c premium; Montreal, $4.375@$4.6875 premium.

Silver.

Bar silver in London, 37⅝d, off 3-16d; in New York, 74⅝c, off ⅝c; Mexican dollars, 57⅝c.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

TUESDAY, MAY 1, 1917.

	1917.	1916.	1915.
Day's sales	529,320	622,438	631,411
Year to date	63,278,854	57,327,360	40,539,743

Closing Bid.	Closing Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chge.
69	71	100	Ajax Rubber	70	70	70	70	—1
6	6¼	200	Alaska Juneau	6	6	6	6	— ¾
93¼	94	700	Am. Agricul. Chem.	93	93½	93	93½	+ ⅜
93⅝	94¼	1,700	Am. Beet Sugar	94¼	94½	93⅝	93⅝	+ ⅛
45¾	46	2,800	Am. Can	45⅞	46¾	45¾	45¾	— ⅛
67	68	1,400	Am. Car & F'dry	68	68⅝	67¼	67¼	+ ⅛
40¼	41½	200	Am. Cotton Oil	40⅝	40⅝	40¼	40¼	— ¾
13	13½	200	Am. H. & Leather	13½	13⅝	13½	13⅝	+ ½
61	61½	600	Am. H. & Leath. pf.	61½	61½	60¾	61½	...
26	27	100	Am. Ice Securities	26½	26½	26½	26½	+ ½
20⅞	21⅛	800	Am. Linseed	20¾	21⅛	20¾	21⅛	— ⅜
57½	58	1,100	Am. Linseed pf	57¾	58	57½	57¾	...
68	69	2,200	Am. Locomotive	68½	69⅞	68	68	— ½
11¼	11⅝	600	Am. Malting	11	12	11	12	+1
60¾	61¼	1,800	Am. Malting 1st pf.	62	62⅝	61	61	—1
100⅝	100¾	6,100	Am. Smelt. & Ref	100⅝	101½	100⅝	100⅝	+ ¼
113⅛	114⅛	100	Am. Smelt. & R. pf.	114	114	114	144	+ ⅛
100¼	100½	900	Am. Smelt. S. pf. A.	100¼	110⅜	100	100¼	— ¼
58½	59½	300	Am. Steel F'dries	59¼	59½	59	59½	+ ½
112½	112¾	600	Am. Sugar Ref	112	112¾	112	112¾	+1½
124	124½	400	Am. Tel. & Tel	124¼	124¼	124	124	+ ⅛
102½	103	100	Am. Tob. pf. new	102⅞	102⅞	102⅞	102⅞	+1⅜
49¾	50	1,300	Am. Woolen	50½	50⅝	50	50⅜	+ ⅜
31	31½	700	Am. Zinc L. & S.	31	31½	31	31½	+ ⅞
63	66¾	100	Am. Zinc L. & S. pf.	66	66	66	66	...
80⅝	80½	19,200	Anaconda Copper	80	80¾	79¾	80⅝	+ ¾
101½	102	1,900	Atch., Top. & S. F.	102¼	102⅜	101½	101¾	...
98	98½	100	Atch., T. & S. F. pf.	98	98	98	98	— ½
16½	17	200	At., Birm. & At.	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	— ⅜
113¾	115	100	Atlantic Coast Line	114	114	114	114	...
104¼	104½	10,700	At. Gulf & West I.	101¾	104½	101¾	104½	+2⅞
56	56½	5,310	Baldwin Loco	56¼	57½	55½	56⅛	+ ⅜
...	100⅛	100	Baldwin Loco. pf	100	100	100	100	— ⅛
75⅞	76	700	Baltimore & Ohio	76½	76¾	76	76	...
70⅞	71¼	200	Baltimore & O. pf	71¼	71¼	71¼	71¼	+1⅛
		1	Bank of Commerce	178	178	178	178	...
110	111	400	Barrett Co	111	111	110½	110½	...
1¼	1⅜	100	Batopilas Mining	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼	...
124½	125	15,300	Beth.S.class B t.cfs	125⅛	126¼	124¾	124¾	— ⅝
63½	64⅝	600	Bklyn Rapid Tran	63⅞	63⅞	63½	63½	—1
68½	70	100	Brown Shoe	68	68	68	68	+1
98	99¼	1,100	Burns Brothers	97½	98¼	97½	98¼	+ ¼
43	44	400	Butte & Superior	43⅝	44	43⅝	44	+ ¾
20¼	21	200	California Petrol	20½	20½	20½	20½	+ ½
160	161	1,200	Canadian Pacific	161	161	159¾	160	— ½
86¾	87	6,600	Central Leather Co	87⅜	88	86¾	86¾	— ½
118	120	35	Cent. & So. Am.Tel	120	120	118	118	...
59½	60	900	Chesapeake & Ohio	60	60	59½	60	+ ¼
...	...	300	C., & E.I.pf.Eq.tr.r	7½	7½	7½	7½	...
11½	11⅞	300	Chi. Great Western	11½	11⅞	11½	11½	+ ⅜
80	80½	2,100	Chi., Mil. & St. P.	81½	81½	79¾	80¼	— ½
116	117	125	Chi., M. & St. P. pf	116	116	116	116	—1
113	113¾	600	Chi. & Northwest	113½	113¾	113⅛	113⅜	— ⅝
45⅛	45½	1,500	Chi., Rock Island & Pac. cfs. of d.2d pd.	45⅞	45⅞	45	45	— ¾
35¼	35½	400	Chi., R. I. & P. w.i.	35¼	35½	35¼	35¼	— ¾
80	81	200	Chi., Rock Island & Pac. 7 p. c. pf. w.i.	81	81	81	81	— ⅝
67⅝	68	200	Chi., Rock Island & Pac. 6 p. c. pf.w.i.	68	68	68	68	...
22¼	22¾	700	Chile Copper	22⅝	22⅞	22½	22½	...
54½	54⅞	1,200	Chino Copper	55	55⅛	54¾	54⅞	+ ⅜
49	49¾	1,900	Col. Fuel & Iron	49	49¾	48½	48½	+ ½
25½	26	100	Col. & Southern	26	26	26	26	—1
42½	43	800	Columbia Gas & El.	43	43	43	43	+ ½
113¼	113¾	300	Consolidated Gas	113¼	113⅜	113¼	113¼	—1¾
25⅛	25¼	4,100	Corn Products Ref	25⅝	25⅞	25	25⅛	— ¼
100¼	101	300	Corn Prod. Ref. pf	101	101	100¾	100¾	— ¼
62⅞	63¼	13,700	Crucible Steel	63⅛	64¾	62⅞	63	+ ⅜
107½	110	10	Crucible Steel pf	110	110	110	110	...
45½	45¾	6,550	Cuba Cane Sugar	45¼	45¾	45¼	45½	— ½
118½	119½	5,800	Delaware & Hud	122	122	118	118⅝	—2⅝
125	126	30	Detroit Edison Co	125	125	125	125	...
13¾	14	600	Distillers' Secur	14⅞	14⅞	13⅞	13⅞	— ¾
26⅞	27	2,500	Erie	27⅜	27⅜	26¾	26¾	— ⅝
40½	41	200	Erie 1st pf	41⅜	41⅜	41¼	41¼	+ ¼
32	33	200	Gaston W. & W.x d.	33	33	32½	32½	— ½
210	240	100	General Chemical	220	220	220	220	—3
107¾	108¼	6,200	Gen. Mot. temp. cfs.	109½	109¾	107	108¾	...
90	91½	300	Gen. M.pf.temp.cfs.	92	92	90⅞	90⅞	— ⅝
52	52½	500	Goodrich (B. F.) Co	52½	52½	52½	52½	+ ⅜
82¼	83	700	Granby Consol	82	83	82	82½	+1½
109½	110	200	Great Northern pf	109⅝	109⅞	109½	109⅝	+ ¼
33	33¼	1,400	G. N. ctfs. for o. p.	33⅜	34	32¾	32¾	— ¼
125	126½	400	Gulf States Steel	126	126	124	124	...
70	71¾	100	Hartman Corp	71½	71½	71½	71½	...
103½	104½	400	Illinois Central	104½	104½	104½	104½	...
56¾	57	6,700	Inspiration Copper	57⅛	57¾	56⅞	56⅞	— ¼
10⅛	10¼	400	Interboro Consol	10¼	10¼	10¼	10¼	...
56	56⅝	700	Interboro Con. pf	56	56	55½	56	— ⅛
20	21	100	Int. Agricultural	20	20	20	20	— ⅞
52	52½	800	Int. Agricultural pf	50⅛	52½	50⅛	52¼	+2¼
114	115	200	Int. Harvester, N.J.	112⅞	112⅞	112⅞	112⅞	+ ⅞
113¾	114⅞	100	Int. Harv., N. J., pf	114⅞	114⅞	114⅞	114⅞	...
80¾	81	600	Int. Harvester Corp	80	80½	80	80½	+3
29⅝	29½	19,400	Int. Mer. Marine	27¾	29½	27¾	29½	+1⅞
82⅞	83	38,900	Int. Mer. Marine pf	79½	83	79¼	82⅞	+3¼
41⅞	42⅛	3,900	Int. Nickel	42	42¾	41⅞	41⅞	+ ⅛
38½	39	400	Int. Paper	39	39	39	39	...
96	96½	100	Int. P. pf.cfs.of dep	96½	96½	96	96	—1
21½	22½	100	Kansas City South	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾	— ¾
21½	22½	15	Do., odd lot	21½	21½	21½	21½	...
52½	53	100	Kelly Spring. Tire	53	53	53	53	+1
46⅝	46¾	24,700	Kennecott Copper	45¾	47⅜	45⅝	46¾	+1⅛
84½	85⅝	2,300	Lackawanna Steel	85	86	84¼	84½	+ ½
19	19½	300	Lee Rubber & Tire	19¾	19¾	19¼	19¼	— ⅝
63	63½	3,100	Lehigh Valley	63½	63⅝	62	63	—1
41½	42	100	Long Isl. cfs.of dep	41½	41½	41½	41½	...
17¼	19	400	Loose-Wiles Biscuit	20	20	18	18	—3
130	131½	400	Louis. & Nash	131	131⅛	130½	130½	—1
48½	49½	900	Maxwell Motors	50½	50⅛	49	49	+ ¼
59	60	100	May Dept. Stores	59½	59½	59½	59½	+ ⅜
91½	92	13,900	Mexican Petroleum	92½	93¾	91½	91⅝	—1¼
40¼	40½	1,100	Miami Copper x d	40½	40⅜	40⅜	40½	— ¼
58½	58¾	1,300	Midvale Steel	58⅝	58¾	58¼	58½	+ ½
107	108	100	M., St. P. & S. S. M.	107	107	107	107	—3
124	127	100	M., St. P. & S.S.M.pf.	126	126	126	126	+5¾
6½	7	400	Mo., Kan. & Texas	6½	6½	6½	6½	— ¼
10½	12	100	Mo., Kan. & T. pf	12	12	12	12	—1
6	10	150	Missouri Pacific	6	6	6	6	—3½
7¼	7½	1,900	Mo. Pacific t r	7¼	7¾	7⅝	7½	...
27⅛	27½	1,500	Mo. Pacific w i	27⅛	27¼	27	27¼	+ ⅛
56	57	600	Mo. Pacific pf. w i	57⅛	57⅛	57	57	— ½
105	106	400	National Biscuit Co	106	106	105	105	—4¾
110	118½	100	Nat. Biscuit Co. pf	119	119	119	119	—3
31½	32	100	Nat. Enam. & St	32	32	32	32	...
23⅞	24¼	2,200	Nevada Con. Cop	24¼	24¼	24	24	+ ¼
93¾	94	600	N. Y. Central	94	94	93⅝	93⅝	— ⅜
40	40¼	800	N. Y., N. H. & H.	40½	40½	39¾	39¾	— ¼
127	129	1,000	Norfolk & Western	128	128	126	127	—1
66	68	100	North American	66	66	66	66	...
102¾	103¼	810	Northern Pacific	103⅛	103⅛	102¾	102⅞	— ⅛
134	135	4,300	Ohio Cities Gas	136⅛	136¾	133½	134⅞	—1
6	6¼	400	Ontario Mining	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	...
90	92	100	Owens Bottle Mach	91½	91½	90¼	90¼	+ ⅛
22	22⅞	600	Pacific Mail	23	23	22¾	22⅞	— ⅛
91	93	100	Pan-Am. P. & T. pf	92	92	92	92	+1¾
52¼	52½	1,800	Penn. R. R. x d	52¼	52½	52¼	52⅜	...
81	82	100	People's G., Chi.,x d	82	82	82	82	...
46	46½	2,200	Pitts. Coal cfs. of d	46½	46½	45½	46	— ½
25¾	25⅞	3,100	Pitts. & West Va	26	26⅜	25¾	25¾	— ⅛
64	64½	500	Pitts. & W. Va. pf	64½	64½	64	64	— ¼
74¾	75½	300	Pressed Steel Car	75¾	75¾	74½	74½	— ½
1½	2½	100	Quicksilver pf	2	2	2	2	...
96	98	200	Railway Steel S. pf	97	97	97	97	— ½
29⅝	29¾	4,200	Ray Con. Copper	30	30	29⅝	29⅝	...
94⅞	95¼	13,300	Reading	96	96⅝	94⅜	95	— ¾
81⅜	81¾	3,600	Rep. Iron & Steel	81⅝	82	81⅛	81⅜	+ ⅛
62¾	63¼	300	Royal Dutch t r	62¼	62¾	62¼	62¾	+ ⅝
18½	19	200	St. Louis & San F	18½	18½	18½	18½	— ¾
14	14½	100	Seaboard Air Line	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛	...
175	180	100	Sears, Roeb. & Co	176	176	176	176	...
125	..	100	Sears, R. & Co. pf	126	126	126	126	+ ½
25¼	25¾	100	Shattuck-Arizona	25½	25½	25½	25½	+ ⅜
54⅛	54½	1,000	Sinclair O. & R. x d	54⅞	55¼	54¼	54¼	— ½
49½	50	500	Sloss-S. S. & I	50⅛	50⅛	50	50	+ ¼
94½	95	200	Southern Pacific	95	95	94½	94½	+ ⅛
175	190	100	So. Porto Rico Sug	187	187	187	187	+2
..	..	100	So. P. R. Sugar pf	112	112	112	112	—2
27⅞	28¼	5,200	Southern Railway	28⅛	28¼	27¾	27⅞	— ⅛
57⅞	58	500	Southern Ry. pf	58⅝	58⅝	57⅞	58	— ¾
89⅛	89½	9,400	Studebaker Co	88¼	89⅞	88⅛	89⅜	+1⅜
16½	16⅞	1,000	Tenn. C. & C	16¾	16⅞	16½	16½	— ¼
211½	212½	2,700	Texas Co	212½	214	211¾	211¾	— ¼
27	27½	2,900	Third Avenue	29	29	27	27	—2
52⅞	53⅜	1,900	Tobacco Products	52¾	53⅛	52¼	53	+ ⅝
..	99⅞	100	Tobacco Prod. pf	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞	99⅞	— ⅛
11¾	12	300	Union Bag & Paper	11¾	12	11¾	12	+ ⅜
136⅞	137	8,400	Union Pacific	137¼	137½	136⅛	137	...
79½	79⅞	600	Union Pacific pf	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾	...
42⅞	43	200	United Alloy Steel	43	43	43	43	+ ⅜
98½	99¼	1,200	United Cigar Stores	98½	99¾	98⅛	99⅜	+ ⅞
135½	137	300	United Fruit	135	136	135	136	+2
115	115¼	42,600	U. S. Indus. Alco	117¼	118¼	114¾	115	—2
13	14	300	U. S. R. & Imp. Co	11⅞	13	11⅞	13	+1
57½	58	300	U. S. Rubber	57¼	57¾	57¼	57½	+ ¼
56	57	400	U. S. Sm., R. & M.	56½	56½	56½	56½	+ ⅝
116¾	116⅞	111,400	U. S. Steel	116⅞	117⅝	116⅜	116⅞	+ ⅛
118	118¾	900	U. S. Steel pf	118¼	118⅞	118¼	118¾	+2
115⅞	116	9,800	Utah Copper	116	117	115¾	115⅞	— ⅞
43⅜	43½	1,000	Va.-Car. Chemical	43¼	44⅛	43½	43½	+ ¼
108	110	100	Va.-Car. Chem. pf	109	109	109	109	—1
108	110	34	Do., odd lot	108½	108½	108½	108½	...
11⅞	12	1,100	Wabash	11⅞	12	11⅞	11⅞	+ ⅛
48⅝	49	1,100	Wabash pf. A	48⅞	49	48⅝	48⅝	— ⅛
24¾	25¼	1,400	Wabash pf. B	25	25	24¾	24¾	...
21⅛	21½	800	Western Maryland	21	21⅜	21	21⅜	+ ⅜
13¼	13½	300	Western Pacific	13¼	13¼	13	13¼	+ ¼
39¼	40	100	Western Pac. pf	39½	39½	39½	39½	— ½
95½	95¾	300	Western Union Tel	95⅜	95⅜	95½	95½	— ⅛
48⅝	49¼	1,800	Westingh. E. & M	48⅜	49⅜	48⅜	48⅞	...
16½	16¾	2,500	Wheeling & L. E	16½	16½	16	16½	+ ⅛
35½	36¼	100	Wheel. & L. E. pf	36¼	36¼	36¼	36¼	+ ¼
45	47	200	White Motors	47	47	47	47	...
75¼	75½	900	Wilson & Co	76	76	75⅛	75¼	— ¾
30¾	31	1,600	Willys-Overland	31½	31½	30⅝	31	+ ¼
...	...	200	Wisconsin Central	51¼	51¼	51¼	51¼	+ ¾
132½	133	100	Wool.,(F.W.,)Co.x d	132¾	132¾	132¾	132¾	— ¼
125	126½	100	Woolworth pf	125½	125½	125½	125½	+ ¾

FINANCIAL OPERATIONS OF THE CITY.

Chamberlain's Statement, April 30, 1917.

CITY TREASURY.

Balance April 21			$25,221,077.10	
Receipts—				
Revenues		$1,175,300.12		
Miscellaneous		32,519.23		
Loans:				
Revenue bills	$10,000,000.00			
Corp. stock notes	4,500,000.00			
Assessment bonds	5,000,000.00			
Special rev. bonds	500,000.00			
		20,000,000.00		
			21,207,819.35	
			$46,428,896.45	
Payments—				
General administration		$4,786,695.58		
Repayment of temporary loans:				
Corp. stock notes		5,500,000.00		
Interest on city debt		35,088.61		
Annual installments		6,000,000.00		
			16,321,784.19	
Balance April 30				$30,107,112.26

SINKING FUNDS.

Balance uninvested April 21	$4,858,252.96	
Receipts	6,207,376.48	
	$11,065,629.44	
Payments	10,000,000.00	
Balance uninvested April 30		1,065,629.44
Aggregate balances April 30		$31,172,741.70

MARKET AVERAGES.

STOCKS.

YESTERDAY'S RANGE.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
25 railroads	73.99	73.22	73.56	— .31
25 industrials	90.05	88.95	89.22	+ .11
50 stocks	82.02	81.13	81.39	— .10

DAILY RANGE OF FIFTY STOCKS.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'ge.
May 1	82.02	81.13	81.39	— .10
April 30	81.62	80.99	81.49	+ .24
April 28	81.67	81.01	81.25	— .30
April 27	82.18	81.34	81.55	— .22
April 26	82.44	81.31	81.77	+ .31
April 25	81.57	80.34	81.46	+1.73
April 24	80.48	79.67	79.73	— .29

MONTHLY RANGE OF FIFTY STOCKS.

May.	—High.—	—Low.—	Last.
•1917	82.02 May 1	81.13 May 1	81.39
1916	89.16 May 25	82.39 May 5	87.94
1915	72.94 May 1	64.14 May 10	67.06
1914	69.75 May 18	67.48 May 9	69.17
1913	71.25 May 26	69.45 May 1	69.69
1912	83.17 May 2	80.08 May 31	80.19
1911	82.78 May 22	79.40 May 11	81.81

YEARLY RANGE OF FIFTY STOCKS.

	—High.—	—Low.—	Last.
•1917	90.46 Jan. 4	77.24 Feb. 3	81.39
†1916	91.83 Jan. 3	80.91 Apr. 22	85.06
Full Years.			
1916	101.51 Nov. 20	80.91 Apr. 22	88.22
1915	94.13 Oct. 22	58.99 Feb. 24	91.50
1914	73.30 Jan. 31	57.41 July 30	60.20
1913	79.10 Jan. 10	63.09 June 10	68.06
1912	85.82 Sep. 30	75.24 Feb. 1	78.20
1911	84.41 June 26	69.57 Sep. 25	77.00

BONDS.

DAILY RANGE OF FORTY BONDS.

May 1	84.93 —.20	Apr. 24	84.89	+.05
Apr. 30	85.13 +.08	Apr. 23	84.84	—.07
Apr. 28	85.05 —.03	Apr. 21	84.91	—.03
Apr. 27	85.08 —.10	Apr. 20	84.94	+.11
Apr. 26	85.18 +.15	Apr. 19	84.83	—.09
Apr. 25	85.03 +.14	Apr. 18	84.92	+.01

YEARLY RANGE OF FORTY BONDS.

	—High.—	—Low.—	Last
•1917	89.48 Jan. 20	84.83 Apr. 19	84.93
†1916	87.35 Feb. 4	86.19 Apr. 22	86.57
Full Years.			
1916	89.18 Nov. 27	86.19 Apr. 28	88.64
1915	87.62 Nov. 24	81.51 Jan. 2	86.67
1914	89.42 Feb. 4	81.42 Dec. 2	81.96
1913	92.31 Jan. 10	85.45 Dec. 18	86.34

•To date. †To corresponding date.

TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

Call Money Again 4 Per Cent.

For the second time this year call money on the Stock Exchange loaned at 4 per cent. It was last Tuesday, the day before the payment of subscriptions to the Treasury certificates of indebtedness, that 4 per cent. was quoted. Yesterday's advance was regarded in banking circles as a temporary condition, and the higher rate was ascribed to the usual heavy May 1 interest and dividend disbursements. There were paid off $5,000,000 of the Bonbright French acceptances and $5,000,000 of the Argentine notes. Four per cent. was the highest rate reached, the opening quotation being 2½ per cent., the low 2¼ per cent., and the closing 3 per cent.

Peace Talk Again.

Peace talk again received consideration in Wall Street yesterday, without making any sort of repetition of the frenzied movements of those days of last December when the Central Powers brought forth their first proposals. On the contrary, the trend of shipping shares was strongly upward instead of downward after dispatches appeared from Holland. The Mercantile Marine stocks, United Fruit, and Atlantic, Gulf and West Indies moved forward 2 points or more and retained the gains well at the close. The greater part of the market was inclined to move forward in company with these issues. Peace, it may be said, bears a different aspect to speculators than three months ago. Not only is the market thought to be well liquidated and ready for the great world change, but there is a feeling abroad in many quarters that the cessation of hostilities may be considered as a decidedly bullish argument on market values.

Inquiries for Treasury Certificates.

Some of the large Wall Street banks which made generous subscriptions to the $250,000,000 of Treasury certificates of indebtedness put out last week reported yesterday that they were receiving letters from individual investors, corporations, and correspondent banks indicating a desire to buy the 3 per cent. certificates in anticipation of the offering of the Liberty Loan of 1917 at 3½ per cent. While by far the largest proportion of the certificates disposed of last week still remain in the vaults of banks and trust companies, a number of institutions have managed to resell part of their holdings. It was said yesterday that as soon as Secretary McAdoo made public further details about the Government financing, investors would be more prompt in purchasing the certificates, with the view of converting them into the long-term bonds at a later date.

Japan Takes More Gold.

The Sub-Treasury yesterday transferred $1,250,000 more gold to San Francisco for shipment to Japan. The metal, of course, was released at the Western city on telegraphed orders, no actual transfer of the metal taking place. In the last three weeks more than $8,000,000 gold has been sent to Japan in settlement of the trade balance, which favors that country heavily. If Japan could buy all the steel, particularly ship steel, which she would like to get in the United States, it is probable that gold shipments would be less. Heavy inquiries for plates have long been in the market, but the mills can supply only a small part of the demand because of crowded order books.

Powder Profits Decline.

The statement made in the 1916 report of E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., that profits from gunpowder manufacturing would be less this year than last, is borne out in the Hercules Powder Company's last quarterly report. The du Pont statement referred to its own business, but the Hercules figures indicate that the industry as a whole is affected by the same influences. In the March quarter the Hercules Company had net earnings of 24.6 per cent. on the common stock, at the annual rate of 98.4 per cent. In 1916 the actual balance for the junior shares was 227.5 per cent. The ratio of profit to gross output in the three months was slightly more than one-third the ratio of last year. Even at that the earnings were nothing to make stockholders grow gloomy about, being close to 100 per cent. on the stock.

Kennecott Publicity.

Stockholders of the Kennecott Copper Corporation who attended the annual meeting yesterday went away feeling they had comprehensive knowledge of what the management had been doing since the big concern was formed. It is not the usual thing for the Executive Committees of corporations to make public in detail the minutes of all of their meetings. The Kennecott share owners heard the minutes of not only the Executive Committee meetings, regular and special, read by the Secretary, but also the reports of each Directors' meeting since Dec. 31, 1915. This gave ground for questions, which were answered fully. The stock owners learned the exact price paid for Utah Copper shares bought last year, whence the stock came, and why it was bought. The discussion among Directors in reference to new property and equipment at the various meetings was described in detail, and the owners of the shares who listened were able to trace the corporation's growth and production in a phenomenal copper year.

"Crazy" Check Collection Bill.

Bankers characterized as "crazy" a bill introduced by Senator Newton which has just passed the Senate in Albany. This measure imposes a fine of $1,000 on any person, association or persons, or corporation which, with intent to compel a bank or trust company to forego its right to make a reasonable charge for domestic exchange, compels such bank to pay checks drawn upon it at any other place than its own office, or to remit the face value of the check at par to any other city or village. Another provision of the bill makes it a crime to present the check for collection through a bank located in a village or city other than that in which the paying bank is situated. The Newton bill is designed, it was said, to counteract the movement of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, which is endeavoring to get all the banks in its district to remit at par for checks sent through the Reserve Bank for collection. Some of the small country banks have strenuously objected to the Reserve Bank's plan, especially the resort to the use of express companies as agents for the collection of checks. A number of the small up-State institutions are stamping their checks "Not payable through an express company," and to meet this measure the Reserve Bank has been forced to appoint other agents. Some of the recalcitrant country banks have even threatened to stamp their checks, "Not payable through the Federal Reserve Bank." Should they make good this threat, bankers say, Congress will probably be induced to pass the Hayes bill, which provides for the payment of a tax of one-tenth of 1 per cent. on the aggregate amount of checks paid by a bank which does not conform to the Reserve Bank's system for the collection of checks.

BONDS ON STOCK EXCHANGE

TUESDAY, MAY 1, 1917.

	1917.	1916.	1915.
Day's sales	$3,506,000	$3,508,000	$3,522,200
Year to date	378,336,800	364,733,950	282,710,200

SALES BELOW ARE GIVEN IN LOTS OF $1,000.

U S 3s, coup
1½..... 99½
Am For Sec 5s
4..... 96
Anglo-Fr 5s
13..... 93⅝
½..... 94
½..... 94
59..... 93⅝
½..... 93⅞
73..... 93⅝
½..... 93⅞
5..... 93¾
1½..... 93¾
7..... 93¾
101..... 93¼
½..... 93⅝
80..... 93½
3..... 93⅝
1..... 93½
30..... 93⅝
½..... 93⅝
17..... 93½
20..... 93⅝
11..... 93⅝
City of Bord temp 6s
8..... 96½
9..... 96⅝
1..... 96⅞
City of Lyons temp 6s
2..... 96½
2..... 96⅝
9..... 96⅝
½..... 97½
½..... 97½
1..... 96⅝
CityofMarseil temp 6s
21..... 96½
10..... 96⅝
1..... 96⅞
CityofParis6s
2..... 95⅝
3..... 95¼
DomofCan5s, 1926
19..... 97
1931
3..... 97
3..... 97⅛
French Govt temp 5½s
20.....100¼
10.....100⅜
10.....100⅜
80.....100¼
1.....100⅜
62.....100¼
29.....100⅜
34.....100¼
34.....100⅜
23.....100¼
RepofCuba5s of 1904
5..... 99
5..... 98½
9..... 99
UnKingofGtB & Ire 5s
5..... 97⅜
18..... 97¼
20..... 97⅜
84..... 97¼
5½s, 1918
5.....100
4..... 99⅞
9..... 99⅞
4.....100
26..... 99⅞
10..... 99⅞
28..... 99¾
39..... 99⅞
5½s, 1919
26..... 97
27..... 97¼
1..... 97¼
8..... 97¼
75..... 97
2..... 97¼
92..... 97
14..... 97¼
new
15.....100⅛
32.....100⅜
10.....100⅛
5.....100⅛
1.....100⅛
7.....100⅛

1.....100⅜
1.....100⅜
20.....100½
1.....100⅜
91.....100¼
1.....100⅜
1.....100¼
9.....100⅜
5.....100¼
22.....100⅜
3.....100¼
10.....100⅜
5½s, 1921
4..... 96⅛
11..... 96¾
1..... 96⅜
7..... 96⅜
20..... 96⅜
23..... 96¼
40..... 96¼
25..... 96
N Y Canal 4s, Jan, 1961
3.....104
NYCity4s,1957
1..... 99⅞
1.....100⅛
4s, 1958
1..... 99⅞
4s, 1959
5..... 99¾
4½s,Nov,1957
2.....107⅛
12.....107
1965
1.....106⅝
AlaskaGMcv deb6s,SerA
1..... 69
AmAgCdeb5s
1.....102
AmT&Ttemp col tr 5s
4..... 99¼
3..... 99⅝
5..... 99¼
1..... 99⅝
1..... 99¼
½..... 99¼
1..... 99⅝
20..... 99¼
4..... 99⅝
2..... 99⅝
conv 4½s
20.....103
AmWrPaper5s
4..... 89
Arm'r&Co4½s
2..... 92⅝
2..... 92⅝
1..... 92¼
A,T&SFgen4s
9..... 92⅝
conv 4s, 1955
6.....101¼
Atl&CharAL 1st 5s, Ser B
2..... 98
AtlCoastL, L & N col 4s
4..... 81
B&Ogold4s
2..... 87⅞
2..... 88¼
pr lien 3½s
1..... 92
conv 4½s
5..... 91¼
7..... 91
ref 5s
1..... 98⅞
11..... 98¼
PLE&WV4s
7..... 81⅞
S W div 3½s
1..... 88
BethStlext5s
2.....100¼
1st&ref5s
2.....100
BRT5s,1918
2..... 99¼
1..... 99¼
9..... 99¾
1..... 99½
Bruns&West4s
5..... 89¼
CalG&El5s
5..... 97⅝

7..... 97¼
CentLeather5s
3.....100⅛
3.....100
13..... 99⅞
CofNJgen5s
2.....114¼
CentPacgtd4s
3..... 87
CerrodePasco Cop cv 6s
10.....112½
C & O cv 4½s
4..... 80
conv 5s
5..... 90
C,B&Qjoint4s
1..... 96⅞
50..... 96¾
Chi&EIlref& imp4s,ctfsofd
20..... 32
Chi,Mil&StP 4s, 1925
1..... 93
4s, 1934
1..... 87¼
5..... 86½
gen 4½s
3..... 97¾
conv 4½s
5..... 94¼
ref4½s,new
10..... 88¼
2..... 88⅜
70..... 88⅝
6..... 88⅜
39..... 88⅝
5..... 88⅜
20..... 89¼
cv5s,SerB
10.....100⅜
5.....100⅝
4.....100¼
10.....100
C,RI&Pgen4s
1..... 82½
1..... 82¼
7..... 82¼
8..... 82
Chi,RI&PRy ref 4s
3..... 72⅞
2..... 73
deb 5s
36..... 74⅝
ctfsofdep,st
20..... 70
C,StP,M&O6s
1.....113
Chi Un Sta 4½s, Ser A
2..... 98
Chile Cop 7s
4.....125⅝
1.....125
ColF&Igen5s
2..... 93
ColMid1st4s, ctfsofdep
26..... 7
ConGascv6s
1.....113¾
D & H cv 5s
1.....100¼
½..... 99½
D&RGcon4½s
3..... 83
DistSecCorp5s
25..... 60
Erie1stcon7s
2.....104⅞
5.....105
1st gen 4s
3..... 63½
GtNorref4½s
1 3... 94
Hud&M1st& ref5s,SerA
1..... 65
adj inc 5s
7..... 17¼
IllCentref4s
1..... 86
IllCent&Chi,St L&NOjt5s,A
5..... 98
Ill Steel 4½s
12..... 89⅝

IndianaSteel5s
20.....101
Int-Met 4½s
3..... 66½
5..... 66¼
6..... 66⅛
IRT1st&ref5s
10..... 94½
5..... 94⅝
35..... 94½
10..... 94⅝
11..... 94½
11..... 94⅝
3..... 94½
IntAgrCcoltr5s
6..... 77½
IntMerMarsf6s
1..... 94
20..... 94¼
5..... 94⅝
10..... 94¼
10..... 94½
10..... 94⅛
5..... 94
KC,FtS&M4s
3..... 71½
KanCitySo5s
3..... 87½
KanCitySo3s
1..... 65
LackS5s,1923
4.....100⅞
LakeS&MichS 4s, 1931
2..... 92½
L&E1stgtd5s
25..... 99⅝
Ligg&Myers7s
2.....123
Ligg&Myers5s
1..... 98⅛
1..... 98⅛
LorillardCo7s
1.....122
L & N un 4s
2..... 92
St L Div 6s
2.....103½
Manhat Con 4s
2..... 85½
MetTel&Tel5s
6.....100
MexPetlstref cv6s,SerC
9.....107
Midvale Steel col tr 5s
3..... 93½
6..... 93⅝
4..... 93½
1..... 93⅝
Mo,K&T1st4s
3..... 72
Mo Pac cv 5s, TrCoctfs,st
20..... 55⅝
gen 4s, w i
5..... 61⅝
10..... 61⅝
10..... 61⅝
MontPow5s,A
1..... 96⅝
Nat Tube 5s
4.....100
NYAirBrake 1st cv 6s
1.....101⅞
NYCentdeb6s
2.....107
½.....106
NYCentdeb4s, 1934
1..... 88½
ref&imp4½s, Ser A
1..... 93¼
4..... 92½
NYG,EL,H& P col tr 5s
1..... 99⅞
2..... 99⅝
8..... 99⅝
NY,L&Wterm & imp 4s
1..... 96½
NY,NH&Hcv deb 6s
6.....100⅛
N Y, O & W

ref 4s
1..... 74
NYRysadj5s
3..... 30¼
4..... 30¼
1..... 30½
6..... 30¼
14..... 30
NY State Rys con 4½s
5..... 78⅛
NiagaraFPCo 1st 5s
2.....102¼
3.....102½
Nor Pac 4s
1..... 91⅛
Ont Power Co 1st s f 5s
2..... 91
OregSL1st6s
1.....106⅜
1.....105½
gtd ref 4s
5..... 89⅝
PacGas&El5s
2..... 89⅝
1..... 89½
Pac T & T 5s
8..... 98⅝
4..... 98⅝
Penn 4s, 1948
2..... 98½
3..... 98⅛
PRRcon4½s
2.....103⅝
3.....103⅞
1.....104
gen 4½s
1..... 96¾
temp 4½s
13..... 96⅝
2..... 96½
13..... 96⅝
30..... 96½
7..... 96⅝
12..... 96½
1..... 96⅝
5..... 96½
5..... 96⅝
1..... 96½
2..... 96⅝
Peo&Einc4s
5..... 23⅞
PereMar1st5s
1..... 90⅝
2..... 90½
6..... 91
1st 4s
2..... 70⅝
PubServCorp sink fund 5s
2..... 88½
Rdg gen 4s
5..... 92¼
10..... 92¼
1..... 92½
1..... 92
RioGW1st4s
1..... 76
col tr 4s
2..... 59
RI,Ark&L4½s
5..... 65
1..... 67
StL&SFprior lien4s,SerA
21..... 65¼
10..... 65
23..... 65¼
Ser B
4..... 82⅝
adjust 6s
17..... 68⅝
14..... 68½
income 6s
4..... 50⅝
StLSW1st4s
1..... 76⅝
1..... 76⅝
SanAn&AP4s
1..... 63⅞
So Bell T & T 1st 5s
1..... 98¼
8..... 98⅛
1..... 98¼
So Pac col 4s
½..... 81

conv 4s
6..... 83
1..... 82⅞
conv 5s
3.....100¼
1.....100⅛
8.....100
1st ref 4s
2..... 87⅝
10..... 87⅞
So Ry 1st 5s
2..... 98⅞
3..... 98⅞
4..... 98⅞
gen 4s
1..... 69
StandGas&El conv 6s
9.....101½
Tex Co deb 6s
10.....103¼
Tex&Pac1st5s
2..... 99½
2d inc
13..... 64
ThirdAvad5s
4..... 55⅝
1..... 55⅝
UnPac1st4s
1..... 95¼
13..... 95
1st & ref 4s
1..... 89⅝
3..... 89½
USR&Imp5s
5..... 54
USRubber6s
23.....101⅝
5s,TrCoctfs
15..... 87¾
17..... 87⅞
11..... 87¾
10..... 87⅞
1..... 87⅝
10..... 88
½..... 88
½..... 88
½..... 88⅛
1..... 88⅛
3..... 88⅛
26..... 89
3..... 89⅛
13..... 89⅛
1..... 89
5..... 89⅛
78..... 89
51..... 88⅞
6..... 88⅞
U S Sm, Ref & mcv6pcnotes
10.....103
U S Stl Corp s f 5s
8.....105¼
8.....105⅜
10.....105½
10.....105⅝
3.....105½
1.....105⅝
4.....105¼
2.....105⅝
10.....105¼
2.....105⅝
Va-CarChcv deb 6s
2.....100
VirgnRy1st5s
1..... 96½
1..... 97
Wab,Det&C5s
1.....101½
Wabash 1st 5s
1.....101⅝
West Elec 5s
3.....100¼
7.....100
West Md 4s
4..... 69⅞
1..... 70
WestShore4s, registered
1..... 84½
Wilson & Co 1st 6s
1.....101⅝
2.....101½
1.....101⅝
WisCentgen4s
6..... 85

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS

Closing quotations for United States Government bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
2s, r, 1930	98	..
2s, c, 1930	98	..
3s, r, 1918	99	..
3s, c, 1918	99	..
3s, 1946	96	..
4s, r, 1925	105	107
4s, c, 1925	105½	..
Pan 2s, r, 1936	98	..
Pan 2s, r, 1938	98	..
Pan 3s, r, 1961	94	..
Pan 3s, c, 1961	94	..

Closing quotations for stocks in which there were no transactions:

	Bid.	Asked.
Acme Tea	52	56
Do 1st pf	92	94
Adams Ex	110	115
Ad Rumely	16	16⅝
Do pf	31	34½
Alaska G M	7	7¼
Alb & S	240	..
Alle & W	120	..
Allis-Ch M	26	26⅜
Do pf	83½	84¾
Am Ag Ch pf	99	100½
Am B N, ex div	39	43½
Do pf	48½	50
Am B Sug pf	92½	97
Am B S & Fdy	..	105½
Do pf	170	200
Am C pf	103	107
Am C & F pf	114¾	116½
Am Coal	36	..
Am Cot O pf	96	97¼
Am Exp	100	112
Am Lo pf	102½	104
Am Sm pf, B	93	94¼
Am Snuff	120	130
Do pf	100	110
Am Sug R pf	118½	120
Am T & C	61	66
Am T & T, 2d pd	68	75
Am Tob	190	192
Am W pf	97½	98½
Am Wr Pa pf	41½	44
Ann Arbor	..	30
Do pf	..	60
Assets R	2½	3⅞
Assoc Oil	64	65
Asso D G	13	21
Do 1st pf	52	59
Do 2d pf	38	40
A, G & W I pf	60	61½
Barrett Co pf	107	110
B'ch Cr'k	42	..
Beth St'l	130	135
Do pf	120	125
Booth Fish	105	..
B Un G	112	120
Brown Shoe pf	95	102
Bruns Ter	8⅝	9⅞
B. R & P	85	95
Do pf	105	120⅛
Bush Ter	..	100
But'k Co	17½	19½
Cal Pet pf	51	53
Cal & Ariz	76	81
Can So	..	54
Cerro de P	35	35½
Case (J I) pf	83	86
C, C & O	25	..
Do pf	50	..
Cent L pf	112	115
C R R of N J	250	325
Chand M	97	98
Chi & Alt	12½	16
Do pf	23	26⅝
Chi Gt W pf	34	35⅝
C, R I & P. 1st pd	34	..
Chi, St P, M & Om	100	110
Do pf	120	130
C, C, C & St L	40	46
Do pf	70	76
Cleve & P	80	83⅝
Do spec	..	49⅝
Cluett-P	67⅝	70
Do pf	105¼	111¼
C & S 1st pf	54	57
Do 2d pf	43	48
Comp T R	39⅞	41
C G, E L & P. B	114	116½
C I C M	16⅛	17¼
Cont Can	93	94
Do pf	108¼	115
Cont Ins	54½	55½
Crex Carp	30	45
Cuba C S pf	91¼	91½
C-Am Sug	196	200
Do pf	102¼	105
D, L & W	224	231
D & R G	12⅝	13½
Do pf	30	34
Det & M	80	..
Do pf	90	..
Det U R	110	116
Dome M	15⅛	16
Driggs-S	76½	78
D. S S & A	4⅛	5⅝
Do pf	8⅝	9
Elec S B	60	61
Erie 2d pf	32	33
Erie & P	..	70
F M & S	18	14
Do pf	39	41
Fisher Bdy	35	37½
Do pf	90	93
Gen Ch pf	112	115
Gen Elec	163½	165½
Gen Cigar	38	44
Do pf	100⅛	105
G'drich (B F) Co pf	107	108
G & S T	111	..
Green-Can	43½	45
Gulf S S 1st pf	107	110
Do 2d pf	120	185
Homestake	114	120
Inger-R	223	..
Int H Cor pf	105	112
Int N pf	102	..
Int P pf	98	101
Iowa Cent	3	6
Jewel Tea	49	50½
Do pf	105	110
K C, Ft S & M pf	67	72
Kan C So pf	54	56
Kelly S T pf	88	94
K & D M	..	5
Do pf	..	50
K'gs Co El L & P	114	117½
Lacl Gas	99	100
L E & W	17½	19½
Do pf	35	40
Ligg & M	230	255
Do pf	115	120
Long Isl'd	41½	43
L-W Bisc 1st pf	..	92
Do 2d pf	..	64
Lorill'd Co	185	200
Do pf	116	128
M'kay Cos	84	85
Do pf	64½	65
Mah C R	350	..
Man B'ch	1½	3
Man Elev	123	127
Man Shirt	71	76
Math Alk	54½	59¼
Max M 1st pf	64	67½
Do 2d pf	31¾	32
M Dep Sts pf	105	111
Mex P pf	90	92
Mich Cent	115	120
M & St L	18	21
M, St P & S S M l l	68	75
Mon Pow	98¼	100
Do pf	116	117½
Mor & Es	..	82¼
N. C & St L	129	135
N C & S	78	80
Nat En pf	95	98
Nat Lead	56¼	57½
Do pf	108½	109
Nat Rys of M 1st pf	..	23
Do 2d pf	4	6
N O, T & M	15¼	17
N Y A B	137½	143
N Y, C & St L	30	34
Do 1st pf	70	80
Do 2d pf	50½	56
N Y Dock	12	16
Do pf	35	38
N Y, L & W	..	116
N Y, O & West	23¼	24
Norf So	25¼	26½
N & W pf	84¼	85¼
N W Tel	..	60
Nova Sc S & C	93	100
Owens B M pf	113	..
Pac Coast	45	70
Do 1st pf	68	90
Do 2d pf	68	80
Pac M pf	90	96
P T & T	29	33
Do pf	95⅝	98
Peo & E	7½	10
Pere Marq	22	23⅞
Do p pf	64	67½
Do pf	..	59
Pett-Mull	21	47
Do 1st pf	88	98
Phila Co	33¼	34
P, C, C & St L	..	76
Pitts Coal	46	50
Do pf	114	142
Do pf c	114	116
P, Ft W & C	..	160
Pitts S pf	100	101¾
P R-Am T	..	235
P S C pf	102	106
P S, N J	122	127½
P'man Co	156½	157½
Quicksilver	2	2½
Ry Stl Sp	49	49⅞
Rdg 1st pf	41	42
Do 2d pf	42½	43¾
Rens & S	165	..
Rep I & S pf	102	103
St L & S F pf	31	34
St L S W	29	31
Do pf	48½	51
Saxon Mtr	47½	50
S-S S & I pf	90	98½
St'd Mill	94	97½
Do pf	85	90
Studeb Co pf	104	107
Stutz Mtr	43	45
Tex Pac	14⅛	15
T P L Tr	144	167
T, St L & West	2	10
Do ctfs	5	7
Do pf	12	16
Do pf c	12	16
Tran & W	43	43½
T C R T	90	91½
Und Type	95	98¼
Do pf	115	..
U B & P new	86	90
U Drug	74½	75
Do 1st pf	52	52½
Do 2d pf	87	90
Un Cig Sts pf	115	118
U Rys In	8½	9½
Do pf	18½	20
U S C I P	20	21
Do pf	55	60½
U S Exp	18	22
U S Ind A pf	98	101
U S R 1st pf	106⅛	107½
U S Sm pf	49⅞	50⅝
Utah Sec	19⅛	20
Va I, C & Coke	70	72
Va R & P	..	48
W F Exp	99	100
West Md 2d pf	32	37
W E & M 1st pf	65	68
Wilson pf	100	105
W-Ov pf	95½	96
Wis Cent	49½	50⅝
Wor Pump	25	27
Do pf. A	85	95
Do pf. B	52	54

SHORT TERM NOTES

Government and Municipal Issues.

Security.	Rate.	Due.	Bid.	Asked.	Yld.
Argen.Gov.Dis.		Dec. 15,'17	99⅝	100¼	5.00
Argen. Gov.	6	May 15,'20	98¾	99¼	6.40
City of Mont.	5	May, 1918	99⅝	100⅛	4.95
City of Mont.	6	Dec., 1917	99⅞	100¼	4.80
City of Que.	5	Apr., 1920	98½	100	5.00
Dom of Can.	5	Aug., 1917	100	100¼	4.50
Dom. of Can.	5	Apr., 1921	98½	99	5.25
Gov. of N. F.	5	July, 1919	96	98	5.85
Italian Gov.	6	Oct. 15,'17	99¼	99⅝	6.75
Norweg. Gov.	6	Oct. 15,'17	100	101	4.75
Norweg. Gov.	6	Feb., 1928	102	104	5.75
Prov. of Alb.	5	May, 1926	96¾	98	5.28
Prov. of Man.	5	Feb., 1920	98	99⅜	..
Prov. of Ont.	5	Feb., 1920	98¾	100½	4.88
Prov. of N. B.		Dec., 1919	98½	100	..
Prov. of Que.	5	Apr., 1920	98½	100	5.00
Prov. of Sask.	5	May, 1921	97½	99¼	5.20
Gov.of France.	5	Is. of 1916	149	152	..
Russian Gov.	6½	July, 1919	96	98	5.85
Do. rubles.	5½	Feb. 15,'26	268	270	..
Swiss Gov.	5	Mar., 1918	99¼	100	5.00
Swiss Gov.	5	Mar., 1920	99	100	5.00

Company Issues.

Security.	Rate.	Due.	Bid.	Asked.	Yld.
Am. Cot. Oil.	5	Nov., 1917	100	100¼	4.45
Am. P. & L.	6	Aug., 1921	100	102	5.50
Am. T. & T.	4½	Feb., 1918	100⅛	100⅝	4.05
Am. Thread.	5	Jan., 1919	98	98⅝	4.85
A.V.R.L. & P.	6	July 1, '19	100	101	5.62½
At. & Pac. T.		June, 1921	101¼	102	5.40
Beth.St.Corp.	5	Feb.15,'19	98	98½	5.90
Braz.L.&T.Co.	6	Nov., 1919	96¼	97¼	5.80
B'klyn R. T.	5	July, 1917	99¼	99½	5.30
C., B. & Q.	4	July, 1921	96⅛	97⅛	4.85
C. & W. Ind.	5	Sep., 1917	99¾	100	5.00
Cuba-Am.Sug.	6	Apr. 1918	100⅝	101⅜	4.55
Can. North.	5	Sep., 1917	99¼	100⅛	4.60
Can. North.	6	July10,'17	99⅞	100⅜	3.75
Can. North.	6	July10,'18	99	100	6.00
Can. Pac. Ry.	6	Mar. 2,'24	101¾	102	5.70
Driggs-Seab'y.	6	Dec., 1918	98	100	6.00
Driggs-Seab'y.	6	Dec., 1919	97	100	6.00
Driggs-Seab'y.	6	Dec., 1920	97	100	6.00
East. P. & L.	5	Mar. 1, '18	99	100	5.00
Erie R. R.	3½	Apr., 1919	97¾	98	5.90
Fed. Sug. Ref.	5	Jan., 1920	98	99¼	5.15
Gen. Rubber.	5	Aug., 1918	98¾	99½	5.10
G. T. of Can.	5	Aug., 1918	98¼	99¼	5.50
Hocking Val.	5	Nov., 1917	100	100¼	4.45
Int. Harvest.	5	Feb.15,'18	100	100¼	4.40
L. Gas & El.		Apr., 1918	100	101	5.37
Mich. Ry.	6	June, 1919	100⅝	101⅛	5.40
Mo. Pacific.	6	June, 1916	99⅞	100⅛	5.40
Mont. T. & P.	6	Apr., 1919	97½	98½	6.70
Morgan & W.	5	Dec., 1918	100	100⅜	4.85
N.Y.,N.H.&H.		Apr.15,'18	97½	97⅞	7.15
Otis Elev.	5	Apr., 1920	99	100	5.00
Penn. Co.	4½	June 5, '21	99½	100	4.50
P. S. C., N. J.	5	Mar., 1919	99	99¾	5.10
Rem A Un. Met. C. Co.	5	Feb. 1, '19	75	83	..
Southern Ry.	5	Mar. 2, '19	97⅝	97⅞	6.05
United Fruit.	5	May, 1918	99⅝	100¼	4.80
Utah Sec. Cor.	6	Sep. 15,'22	94	95	7.10
Wabash R. R.	4	May, 1920	93	95	..
W'house El & Mfg. Co.	5	Oct., 1917	100	100½	3.90
Win.R.Arms.	5	May, 1918	95½	96	..
W. V. T.&E.	6	June, 1917	100	100½	6.00
W. S. G.&E.	6	Oct., 1917	100	100⅝	4.50
Win. E. Ry.	6	Jan. 15,'18	100	101	4.87½

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GOVERNMENT BUYING SPEEDS UP BUSINESS

Pierre Jay, Head of Federal Reserve Board Here, Discusses Effect of War.

FINDS CONSERVATIVE SPIRIT

Banks and Bankers Keenly Interested in Prospective Sale of United States Bonds and Notes.

Pierre Jay, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, in his monthly review of business conditions, issued yesterday, says that the outstanding developments resulting from America's entry into the war have been the very keen interest on the part of banks and bankers (particularly those in New York City) in the prospective sale of Government bonds and Treasury notes, determined efforts throughout the entire district to increase the food supply, and a speeding up of many branches of industry as a result of Government buying.

In lines which are not directly affected by war preparations, he says, conditions do not appear to have been greatly altered, although in some quarters a feeling of conservatism is in evidence. Government purchases, which have received precedence over all others, have been at prices much below those paid by other buyers, the action of copper producers in contracting to deliver copper below the market price having been followed by steel companies and food jobbers.

"Particular attention," Mr. Jay says, "is being directed to the production of an increased food supply, as the relatively small stocks of foodstuffs which are reported from various sources and the unsatisfactory condition of the Winter wheat crop make prompt and vigorous measures along this line essential. In New York State plans fostered by State and city officials are going forward to organize corps of farm cadets to asisst in planting and to have city employes spend their vacations doing farmwork. The development of home gardens is also receiving attention.

"Prices continue to rise. Dun's index number for wholesale commodity prices for April 1 is $190,012, which represents a net gain of 2 per cent. over March, and contrasts with $145,690 on April 1, 1916. The increase since the beginning of the war has been 57 per cent. The Annalist index number for the cost of living for the third week in April was 270, as against 240 a month previous, and 155 two years ago.

"From every side come reports of scarcity of labor and of increased wages. Wages paid to workers in New York State industries in March were 5 per cent. greater than those paid in February, the number of employes having increased but 1 per cent. while, as compared with March of a year ago, there was an increase of 9 per cent. in number of employes and 23 per cent. in the aggregate of wages. Similar comparison with March two years ago shows increases of 30 and 62 per cent., respectively.

"Railroad gross earnings show an increase of about 10 per cent. over those of a year ago, but increased expenses threaten serious impairment of net earnings."

Discussing conditions in various lines of industry, Mr. Jay says:

"Substantial improvement in manufacturing conditions in the iron and steel industry have come at an opportune time, and the advent of war finds the industry thoroughly prepared. Better transportation facilities and a more normal supply of coke have resulted in a considerable increase in pig iron production. The total in March amounted to 3,250,757 tons, an increase of 605,510 tons over the previous month's output.

"Coal production and deliveries have improved somewhat, but increased demands are expected during the coming year with little prospect of larger output. Manufacturers of machinery report a volume of business in excess of that of a year ago and at satisfactory prices. The machine tool trade is very active.

"In the rubber trade the demand for footwear and tires has been very large, and the volume of business in the mechanical rubber goods is from 20 per cent. to 25 per cent. over that of last year.

"Textile and clothing industries report business as steady and in some cases increasing in value of transactions. In the dry goods trade the appeal for economy in dress is having an increasing influence on retail sales. Stocks on hand are low.

"Dealings in hides are active at increasing prices. Orders from retailers for footwear are slow, retailers reporting quiet trade due to efforts toward economy."

Mr. Jay reports that there has been a continued demand for large quantities of paper currency in the district and that the Federal Reserve Bank of New York had increased its circulation by $34,500,000 between March 21 and April 20, against which a similar amount of gold had been lodged with the Federal Reserve Agent.

Gets Panama Oil Concession.

The Sinclair Gulf Corporation announced yesterday that it had obtained from the Republic of Panama a concession to explore about 10,000,000 acres in that country, with the exclusive right to select 2,000 square miles from the tract for petroleum development. Recently the Sinclair Gulf Corporation received a concession from the Costa Rican Government, and geological surveys are being made there under the direction of Donald F. McDonald, who served the United States Government as chief geologist under Major Gen. Goethals in the Panama Canal work. He will also direct the survey in Panama.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

The offices of the New York State Bankers Association have been moved from 5 Nassau Street to 128 Broadway. Edward J. Gallien assumed his duties as Secretary yesterday, succeeding William J. Henry, resigned.

George F. Tyler has become a special partner in the firm of Montgomery, Clothier & Tyler and Harry E. Marlor has been admitted to full partnership.

A new Stock Exchange firm under the name of Noel, Berman & Langley has been formed, with offices at 60 Broadway.

W. B. Jackson, who for the last five years has been in charge of the Public Utility Department of The Wall Street Journal, has associated himself with Claude Meeker, 71 Broadway, in business in public utility and other securities.

The Guaranty Trust Company will receive for exchange into definitive notes the now outstanding temporary two-year 5 per cent. gold notes of the Bethlehem Steel Company, due Feb. 15, 1919. The new notes will be issued in coupon form only.

The Franklin Trust Company is exchanging temporary receipts for definitive 6 per cent. coupon convertible debenture bonds of the Kings County Electric Light and Power Company.

George T. Hand has been appointed chief engineer of the Lehigh Valley Railroad. E. B. Ashby has been appointed consulting engineer.

The Kalbfleisch Corporation has taken over the assets and business of the Franklin H. Kalbfleisch Company, the Erie Chemical Works, and the Kaloid Company.

The Franklin Trust Company is making payment of 3 per cent. in liquidation of voting trust certificates calling for first preferred stock of the Simpson Crawford Corporation. This represents the fourth payment, the total aggregating 56 per cent.

The steel steamers Binghamton and Huron, owned by subsidiaries of the United States Steamship Company, have been chartered for a period of one year at $50,000 a month to operate in the coastwise coal trade.

The Hartman Corporation has declared an initial quarterly dividend of $1.25 a share.

At the organization meetings of the Utah and Chino Copper Companies the retiring officers were re-elected.

The City of Newton, Mass., will receive bids for the purchase of $150,000 4 per cent. coupon notes in anticipation of revenue maturing one year from date of issue.

At the annual meeting of stockholders of the New York Telephone Company the retiring Directors were re-elected, and at the organization meeting of the board the officers were re-elected.

The State Treasurer of Massachusetts has negotiated a one-five-year serial loan for $500,000 at 3¾ per cent. the proceeds of which will be used to pay the extra compensation to State soldiers authorized by the Legislature.

COMMODITIES MARKETS.

WHEAT.

The peace rumors from Europe caused heavy selling in the wheat market yesterday and brought about one of the sharpest reactions experienced since the bull movement started around April 1. Longs sold quite heavily, and, as the demand was limited, prices broke sharply and closed with net losses of 6¾c to 14c. In the local cash market No. 1 Northern Duluth was quoted at $2.79¾ and No. 1 Northern Manitoba $2.79, free on board, New York opening of navigation.

RYE.—Market quiet; No. 2 Western, $2.07, cost, insurance, and freight, New York.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
May	$2.71	$2.55	$2.57¼	$2.71	$1.14¾
July	2.27	2.12¼	2.12¼	2.26¼	1.16⅛
September	1.89	1.81	1.82¼	1.89	1.15⅛

CORN.

The corn market developed weakness, despite the reports of unfavorable weather for planting operations, and at the close of the day values were 4⅝c to 5¼c net lower. The peace rumors and the break in wheat caused heavy liquidation, and the market was influenced also by talk of reselling on the part of exporters. In the local cash market No. 2 yellow corn was quoted at $1.66½, nominal, cost, insurance, and freight, New York.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
May	$1.50	$1.45	$1.45¼	$1.49¼	76⅞
July	1.44¼	1.38¼	1.39	1.44¼	76⅞
September	1.36⅞	1.31¾	1.32½	1.36⅞	76½

OATS.

Flattering reports on the new crop outlook and weakness in the other markets as well as peace rumors exerted a bearish influence on the oats market and resulted in a net decline of 1⅝c to 2¼c. The local cash market was easy; standard quoted at 77 to 77½c; No. 2 white, 77½c; No. 3 white, 76½ to 77c; No. 4 white, 76 to 76½c; fancy clipped white, 78½ to 80½c; ordinary clipped white, 76½ to 78½c, all elevator.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
May	69½	66⅞	66⅞	68⅞	46¼
July	66	62⅞	63	65¼	43⅞
September	56⅝	54⅞	55¼	56⅝	39⅞

PROVISIONS.

The provision list showed consistent strength throughout the day and all offerings on the break in grain were well taken. Peace talk had some effect, inspiring a good demand from commission houses and there was some buying of lard and ribs by interests supposed to be representing packers. Chicago received 15,000 hogs, with 28,000 expected on Wednesday and the average weight for the week was reported to be 213 pounds. Kansas City had 11,000 hogs, Omaha 14,000, and the West about 100,000.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
Lard—					
May	22.15	21.87	22.15	21.87	12.95
July	22.25	22.00	22.25	22.00	12.90
Ribs—					
May	20.77	20.67	20.77	20.60	12.75
July	21.00	20.85	21.00	20.82	12.82
Pork—					
May	38.80	38.30	38.75	38.22	23.85
July	39.17	38.76	39.10	38.70	23.65

COTTONSEED OIL.

The market for cottonseed oil was strong and higher, with all the active positions selling at new high records. Commission houses were good buyers, and there was also more or less buying credited to the South. Final figures showed net gains of 4 to 9 points. Total sales were 32,900 barrels.

Range of prices

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Spot	....	....	16.00@16.25	16.00
May	16.17	16.10	16.08@16.17	16.03
June	....	....	16.10@16.17	16.05
July	16.19	16.12	16.13@16.15	16.08
August	16.19	16.13	16.14@16.15	16.07
September	6.20	16.13	16.13@16.15	16.08
October	15.88	15.82	15.83@15.85	15.79
November	15.29	15.18	15.25@15.27	15.16
December	15.18	15.10	15.15@15.20	15.10

COFFEE.

The coffee market was quiet yesterday, but firmer, with the close showing a net advance of 12 to 15 points. Sales were reported of 17,500 bags. The market opened at an advance of 3 to 4 points on scattered covering. Early fluctuations were somewhat irregular, but the undertone was steady, and there seemed to be some scattered buying on the further advance in Rio exchange on London. Later the market was influenced by peace rumors. The local spot market was dull but firmer at 10⅛c for Rio 7s and 10⅝c for Santos 4s. Range of prices:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
May	8.16	8.16	8.16@8.18	8.02
June	..	..	8.26@8.28	8.12
July	8.38	8.27	8.35@8.37	8.22
August	..	..	8.42@8.44	8.30
September	8.51	8.38	8.49@8.51	8.37
October	..	..	8.55@8.57	8.42
November	..	..	8.61@8.62	8.48
December	8.69	8.56	8.68@8.69	8.54
January	..	..	8.74@8.75	8.60
February	..	..	8.80@8.81	8.66
March	8.89	8.84	8.88@8.89	8.73
April	..	..	8.94@8.95	..

SUGAR.

The futures market opened quiet, 7 points off on May, other months unchanged to a decline of 1 point. Trading lagged all the morning, but on reports that May shipment Cubas had sold at 5¼c, cost and freight basis, or a sleight advance from the previous price, values did better with Wall Street and trade interests covering. The day's business, however, was of small volume, the total amounting to 6,200 tons. Final prices showed net gains of 5 to 10 points.

RANGE OF PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
May	..	..	5.33@5.38	5.28
June	..	..	5.44@5.46	5.37
July	5.52	5.45	5.50@5.52	5.44
August	..	..	5.54@5.56	5.48
September	5.60	5.52	5.58@5.59	5.52
October	..	..	5.50@5.52	5.44
November	..	..	5.42@5.44	5.37
December	5.17	5.11	5.15@5.16	5.10
January	4.95	4.93	4.92@4.95	4.82
February	..	..	4.82@4.85	4.72

The market for refined sugar was unchanged, one refiner taking a limited amount of business at 7.50c for fine granulated and one at 8c, while others were still out of the market. Raw sugar firmed up at the close with holders asking 5⅜c, cost and freight for May positions. There was a rumor that during the day afloat Cubas sold at 5$\frac{3}{16}$c, cost and freight. The Federal bought 8,500 bags of Cubas, clearance May 7, at 5¼c, equal to 6.27c duty paid, establishing the spot price at that level. Operators also bought 7,000 bags of Cubas, May clearance, at 5¼c, cost and freight, which was said to have practically cleared the market of all offerings at that level. There was a moderate buying interest at 5¼c, cost and freight, from both refiners and operators at the close. Quotations follow: Centrifugal, 6.27c; molasses, 5.39c; cost and freight, 5¼c.

BUTTER AND EGG MARKET.

BUTTER.—Receipts yesterday, 10,611 packages. Trade dropped, and there was so little business that the market had no support, and prices fell to about the figures current on Saturday. There was a weak feeling on most grades of creamery at the close. Renovated in very moderate receipt, and holding up pretty well. Ladles and packing stock have gained a little strength. Creamery, higher scoring than extras, per lb., 41½@42c; extras, 92 score, 41c; firsts, 88 to 91 score, 39½@40½c; seconds, 83 to 87 score, 37½@39c; thirds, 36@37c; creamery, unsalted, higher than extras, 42½@43c; extras, 41½@42c; firsts, 40@41c; seconds, 38@39½c; creamery, held, common to choice, 36@40c; State dairy, tubs, finest, 40@41c; good to prime, 37½@39½c; common to fair, 33@37c; renovated, extras, 37@37½c; firsts, 35@36c; lower grades, 31@34c; imitation creamery, firsts, 34@35c; ladles, current make, firsts, 32@33c; seconds, 31@31½c; lower grades, 30@30½c; packing stock, current make, No. 1, 31@31½c; No. 2, 30@30½c; lower grades, 28½@29½c.

EGGS.—Receipts yesterday, 29,025 cases. The market is generally quiet and the tone unsettled and irregular. Regular distributing demands are only moderate; there is little speculative buying in storage-packed eggs on this market, and most of the latter are going to storage directly for owners' account, because of the inability to find buyers at prices in proportion to their cost. It would be difficult to find buyers above 35@36c, although occasional lots are taken a little higher. There is a fair call for very high-grade current packings, which are steadier than other grades, but the average offerings of Western current packings are moving slowly, and it required unusually good quality to exceed 33½@34c; a considerable part of the supply from southerly sections ranges from 33c downward. Dirties and checks steady. Nearby white eggs are in liberal supply, and most of them are selling in bunches of mixed marks for storage purposes at a range of 35@36½c; it requires closely selected lots of fancy large hennerles to reach top quotation, and some receivers report no business at that price. Fresh gathered extras, per dozen, 37c; storage packed, firsts, 35@36½c; fresh gathered, firsts, 33½@34½c; seconds and lower grades, 31@33c; dirties, No. 1, 32@32½c; No. 2 and poorer, 30½@31½c; checks, good to choice, dry, 31@31½c; undergrades, 29½@30½c; State, Pennsylvania and nearby Western, hennery whites, fine to fancy, 36½@37c; ordinary to good, 35¼@36c; gathered whites, ordinary to fine, 35@36½c; Western and Southern, gathered whites, 34½@36c; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby, hennery browns, 36@37c; gathered brown and mixed colors, ungraded, 34@35½c; duck eggs, Baltimore, 39@40c; Western and prime Southern, 35@38c; goose eggs, 60@75c.

THE TREASURY STATEMENT.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Receipts and expenditures:

	This Mo.	Fiscal Year.
Customs receipts	$20,911,335	$178,603,899
Ord. internal rev	40,238,672	342,673,171
Income tax	24,814,125	56,849,856
Miscellaneous	7,293,419	57,383,142
Total receipts	$93,257,553	$635,510,070
Excess of ord. receipts over ord. disburs	11,657,955	......
Excess of ord. disburs. over ord. receipts	......	157,718,196
Excess of total receipts over total disburs	65,744,878	......
Excess of total disburs. over total receipts	......	81,774,273
Expenditures	$1,599,598	793,228,266

COTTON RISES AGAIN

Demand More Active on Rumors of Peace Movement—Net Gain 14 to 32 Points.

The cotton market opened yesterday at an advance of 8 to 22 points in response to higher Liverpool cables, but prices soon turned easier under liquidation and local pressure. There was Southern selling of both old and new crop months, and it was supposed that some of the Southern spot people were hedging cotton held in the interior pending the development of another spurt in the spot demand. July sold off to a net loss of 15 points, and the new crop worked a point or two under Monday's closing figures, but prices then steadied on covering. The demand became more active following rumors that Germany would start another peace movement, with July and later deliveries selling 26 to 36 points net higher in the late trading. The general list closed steady at a net advance of 14 to 32 points.

Temperatures were a little low in some sections of the South, but it seemed to be the general impression that conditions otherwise were favorable, and that the weekly report of the Weather Bureau today would indicate good progress. The situation in this respect was again offset in some measure by reiterated talk of reduced acreage. A private report based upon a canvass of Southern correspondents was published during the morning, indicating a decrease of 2.7 per cent. in acreage and one of the poorest crop prospects for several years at this season. Another report said there would be a small increase in acreage in Texas, Oklahoma, and Missouri. The appearance of scattered Southern selling orders around the ring was attributed to the more favorable view of weather conditions, but the selling from that source was hardly active enough to suggest any general weakness.

Yesterday's quotations follow:

May	20.35	20.40	20.08	20.31@20.33	20.17
June	..	..	..	20.24 bid	20.07
July	20.15	20.26	19.85	20.19@20.20	20.00
Aug.	..	..	..	20.01@20.05	19.82
Sept.	19.50	19.64	19.50	19.64@19.66	19.35
Oct.	19.40	19.57	19.20	19.50@19.51	19.21
Nov.	..	..	..	19.52@19.54	19.24
Dec.	19.40	19.60	19.24	19.55@19.56	19.26
Jan.	19.41	19.63	19.27	19.58@19.59	19.29
March	19.64	19.76	19.47	19.73@19.75	19.41

The local market for spot cotton was quiet and 15 points higher at 20.70c for middling upland. Southern spot markets were as follows: Galveston, 20c.; New Orleans, 19.69c; Savannah, 20¼c.; Augusta, 20.13c; Memphis, 20c.; Houston, 20c.

Liverpool Cables.—Spot cotton in good demand; sales, 10,000 bales; speculation and export, 1,500 bales; American, 8,000 bales. Imports, 5,000, none American. Middling upland, 12.96d. Futures opened steady, 4 to 5 points higher. Closed steady at a net advance of 18 to 20 points. May-June, 12.56d.; July-August, 12.41d.; October-November, 11.91d.; January-February, 11.77d.; March-April, 11.71d.

Manchester.—Yarns, quiet and firm; cloths dull.

The day's cotton statistics follow:

	Yesterday.	Last Wk.	Last Yr.
Port receipts	10,801	14,418	22,689
Exports	6,947	12,739	11,537
Port stocks	1,036,460	1,096,590	1,226,184
Interior receipts	9,450	10,865	7,209
Interior shipm'ts	15,585	14,575	23,212
N. Y. arrivals	1,990	....	....
New York stocks	54,168	55,516	168,485

Exports for the day were 6,947 bales, making 4,639,139 so far this season.

BUSINESS UNHURT BY WAR.

Failures in April Lowest Since June, 1912, According to Dun.

Entrance of the United States into the war has brought no reflection in the failure of business firms. On the contrary the extent of mortality among corporations and partnerships in April was less than in any month since June, 1912, according to Dun's records, and since July, 1913, as Bradstreet's has it. This is in respect to number. The volume of liabilities, according to Dun's records, was smaller than in any month since last October, and Bradstreet's make the total less than any month has brought since November last.

Compared with March this year there are 4 per cent. fewer failures, according to Bradstreet's, and the decrease from April a year ago is 13 per cent., while compared with April, 1915, the decrease is 34 per cent. Liabilities are 2.7 per cent. below those of March, 14 per cent. below those of April a year ago, and only one-third those of April, 1915.

The failures, assets and liabilities during the first four months of this year and last and those in the four months' periods of each year since 1908 compare as follows:

1917.	No.	Assets.	Liabilities.
January	1,558	$14,702,267	$24,342,506
February	1,126	5,390,711	12,186,528
March	1,147	5,465,630	11,518,610
First quarter	3,831	$25,558,608	$48,047,644
April	1,097	5,397,272	11,223,362
Four months	4,928	$30,955,880	$59,271,006
1916.	No.	Assets.	Liabilities.
January	1,799	$8,284,134	$17,340,533
February	1,608	9,386,188	18,068,223
March	1,637	8,032,023	17,958,205
First quarter	5,044	$25,702,345	$53,366,961
April	1,267	6,794,057	13,107,508
Four months	6,311	$32,496,402	$66,474,469

Excluding banks and other fiduciary suspensions, defaults in the United States, as reported to R. G. Dun & Co., numbered only 1,069, or 18 per cent less than in March, and involved $12,587,213, a 28 per cent. reduction in the latter. The comparison with a year ago, when there were 1,399 insolvencies for $18,882,637, is even more favorable, and as contrasted with the high point for the period—April, 1915—the numerical decrease is 48 per cent. and the contraction in amount over 70 per cent. Not in nearly a decade, in fact, has the number of April failures been so limited, while the liabilities are the lightest for the month since 1907.

RAILWAY EQUIPMENT BONDS.

The following are quoted on a percentage basis:

Name.	Maturity.	Rate.	Bid.	Asked
Balt. & Ohio	1917-'27	4 @4½	4.80	4.50
Buff., Roch. & P.	1917-'30	4½@5	4.80	4.50
Canadian North	1917-'26	4½@5	6.50	5.25
Canadian Pacific	1917-'28	4½	4.80	4.50
Ches. & Ohio	1917-'27	4½	4.95	4.65
Chi. & Northwest.	1917-'23	4½	4.55	4.40
Chi., R. I. & Pac.	1917-'27	4½@5	5.25	4.75
Chi., St. L. & N. O.	1917-'24	5	4.75	4.50
C., C., C. & St. L.	1917-'29	5	5.10	4.80
Cuba Railroad	1917-'26	5	6.00	5.00
Del. & Hudson	1922	4½	4.65	4.45
Erie Railroad	1917-'27	4½@5	5.00	4.75
Grand Trunk	1917-'24	4½	5.25	4.75
Illinois Central	1917-'26	4½@5	4.75	4.50
Louis. & Nash.	1917-'23	5	4.70	4.45
Michigan Cent.	1917-'30	5	4.70	4.40
Mo., K. & Texas	1917-'23	5	5.75	5.00
Missouri Pacific	1917-'22	5	5.75	5.00
Mobile & Ohio	1917-'26	4½@5	5.25	5.00
N. Y. Cent. Lines	1917-'32	4½@5	4.88	4.50
Norfolk & West.	1917-'24	4½	4.65	4.35
N. Y., N. H. & H.	1917-'28	4½@6	5.00	4.65
Pa. Gen. Freight	1917-'23	4 @4½	4.62	4.38
S. L. S. W.	1917-'26	4½@5	5.25	4.75
Seaboard Air Line	1917-'26	5	5.10	4.75
Southern Pacific	1917-'26	4½	4.75	4.50
Southern Ry.	1917-'24	4½@5	5.00	4.75

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Cal Corb.	1½	2	N Cornelia	16½	17
Calaveras	4	4½	N U Bing.	.25	.50
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Fortuna	.12	.14	†S W M.	2¼	2¾
Gold Lake	.05	.06	Truro	1¼	1½
Homa Oil	1⅝	1$\frac{11}{16}$	U V Ext.	36¼	37
Houghton	.90	1	Yukon G'd.	1⅞	2
Humboldt	.90	1			

*Full paid. †Part paid.

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Am. Cotton Oil pf.	3	SA	June 1	May 15
Cresson Con. M. & M.	10c	..	May 10	Apr. 30
Cripple Creek Cent.	1¼	Q	June 1	May 15
Cripple Creek Cent. pf	1	Q	June 1	May 15
Hartman Corporat'n.	1¼	Q	June 1	May 15
Int. Harv. (N. J.) pf.	1¾	Q	June 1	May 11
Int. Harv. Corp. pf.	1¾	Q	June 1	May 11
Mobile Electric pf.	1¾	Q	May 15	Apr. 30
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Studebaker pf.	1¾	Q	June 1	May 19

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33,000 " 1921, @ 100.18		33,000 " 1926, @ 100.37		33,000 " 1931, @ 100.53			
33,000 " 1922, @ 100.22		33,000 " 1927, @ 100.40		33,000 " 1932, @ 100.55			
33,000 " 1923, @ 100.26		33,000 " 1928, @ 100.44					

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT
Assessed Valuation, 1916 .... $91,408,892.
Total Bonded, Debt, including this issue..... $1,727,900.
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MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

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For the purpose of adopting a new set of by-laws. SAMUEL B. MOSS, President.
April 27, 1917.

CHESEBROUGH MANUFACTURING COMPANY, CONSOLIDATED,
17 State Street, New York, April 18, 1917.
The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of Chesebrough Manufacturing Company, Consolidated, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 17 State Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Thursday, May 3, 1917, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the election of Trustees for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.
The stock transfer books of the Company will be closed from April 23, 1917, to May 3, 1917, inclusive.
ROBERT S. GILL, Secretary.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

The New York & Harlem Railroad Co.
New York, N. Y., April 14, 1917.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Eighty-seventh Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The New York and Harlem Railroad Company, for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, in Grand Central Terminal, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 15th day of May, 1917.
The Poll will open at 12 o'clock Noon and continue open for two hours thereafter.
The Transfer Books will be closed at 3 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, the 25th day of April, 1917, and reopened on the morning of Wednesday, the 16th day of May, 1917.
DWIGHT W. PARDEE, Secretary.

CONSOLIDATED COPPERMINES COMPANY.
New York, May 2, 1917.
Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of CONSOLIDATED COPPERMINES COMPANY will be held at the principal office of the Company, in the Du Pont Building, in Wilmington, Delaware, on Tuesday, the 5th day of June, A. D. 1917, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of four Directors to hold office for three years, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.
THOMAS B. ADAMS, Secretary.

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Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
70	Am. B. Sug.	94¼	94	94¼	300	Lehigh Val..	64	62¼	62¼
30	Am. Can....	46¾	46	46	20	Max. Motor.	50¼	50¼	50¼
150	Am. H. & L.	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝	1,840	Mex. Petrol.	93½	91⅞	91⅞
410	Am. Loco....	70⅛	68⅛	68⅛	140	Miami Cop..	40⅝	40½	40½
560	Am. S. & R.	101⅜	100½	100⅝	10	Nat. E. & S.	32	32	32
20	Am.St.Fdries	58⅝	58⅝	58⅝	140	Nev. Cons...	24¼	24	24
2,510	Anac. Cop..	80⅝	80	80⅝	20	N. Y. Cent..	94	93¾	93¾
40	A.,T.& S.F..	102⅜	102	102	10	N. Y., N. H. & H.	40¼	40⅛	40¼
40	A.,G.& W.I..	104	102¾	104	60	Ont. Mining..	6¼	6	6
416	Bald. Loco..	57⅜	55⅝	55⅝	120	Ohio C. Gas.	134½	134¼	134¾
190	Balt. & Ohio	76⅜	75½	75¾	10	Pit.Coal tr.r..	46½	46⅛	46½
20	Beth. St'l B..	125⅜	125⅜	125⅜	450	Ray Copper..	30	29⅝	29⅞
20	B'klyn R. T.	63⅜	63⅜	63⅛	1,430	Reading.......	96⅝	94½	94⅞
150	Cal. Petrol..	20½	20	20	290	Rep. I. & S..	82	81	81
620	Cent.Leather	88⅛	86⅜	87	90	So. Railway.	28⅜	27⅞	28
110	C.,M.& St.P.	80	79⅞	79⅞	50	Do pf.......	58⅛	58⅛	58⅛
50	Chile Copper.	23	23	23	840	Studebaker...	89⅝	87⅞	89⅛
20	Chino Copper	55¼	55¼	55¼	960	Union Pac...	137½	136⅛	136⅝
180	Col. F. & I.	49¼	48⅜	48⅜	3,210	U. S. Ind. A.	117⅝	114⅜	115¼
210	Corn Prod...	25⅜	25	25	41,320	U. S. Steel...	117⅝	116⅜	116⅞
1,890	Crucible St'l.	64½	62⅝	63	1,780	Utah Cop....	117	115⅞	116⅛
190	CubaCaneSu.	45⅞	45½	45½	100	Va.-Car. Ch..	43⅜	43⅜	43⅜
200	Del. & Hud.	119⅞	118¼	118¾	60	Westing. El..	49⅜	48⅞	48⅞
320	Erie	27½	26⅞	27⅛		MINING STOCKS.			
43	Do 1st pf...	43⅜	43⅜	43⅜	1,000	Atlanta.....	.12	.12	.12
30	Gen. Motors.	109⅛	108¼	108¼	250	Iron Blos....	.99	.99	.99
10	Goodrich Co.	52¼	52¼	52¼	300	Jumbo Ex.	.41	.41	.41
90	Inspir. Cop..	57½	57¼	57½	800	Mexican....	.35	.35	.35
610	Int. Mer. M.	29⅛	27⅞	29⅛	500	Midway....	.14	.14	.14
5,210	Do pf......	83	79⅝	82⅝	1,700	Res. Eula	.29	.28½	.28½
60	Int. Nickel..	43¼	42¼	42¼	350	SierraNev.	.31	.30	.30
10	Kan. Cy So.	21⅜	21⅜	21⅜	100	Ton. Ext.	3.20	3.20	3.20
990	Kenne. Cop.	47¼	45½	46⅜					
30	Lack. Steel..	85⅛	85⅛	85⅛					

CURB TRANSACTIONS

INDUSTRIALS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
4,500	‡Aetna Exp.	3⅛	2⅞	3	2,500	‡Maxim Mun	2½	2¼	2⅜
5,000	‡Do c. of d.	2⅞	2⅝	2⅞	800	‡Nat. Acme..	33¾	33½	33¾
400	Am. S. Co...	38	37⅞	38	800	‡Nat. Cond't.	34⅜	33⅜	33⅜
100	C. N. G. Cp.	⅜	⅜	⅜	100	N. Y. Trans.	16¾	16⅜	16⅜
1,400	Car. Steel...	11⅝	11⅝	11½	2,000	N. A. P. & P	5	4⅞	4⅞
500	Chev. Motor.	105	102	105	1,600	‡Prud. Pict..	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
250	Curtiss Aero.	*24	*21	22	500	S. & T. T. pf	9⅞	9⅝	9⅞
25	East. Steel..	114	114	114	500	‡St. J. Lead.	17⅜	17⅜	17⅜
700	‡Elite P. S..	⅜	⅜	⅜	200	‡Steel A. Cp.	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
100	Emerson Ph.	8⅞	8⅞	8⅞	4,000	Sub. Boat v. t. ctfs.....	24⅜	23⅛	24
200	Ev. H., Inc.	22¼	22¼	22¼	198	Sup. Steel...	34⅜	*34⅜	*34⅜
250	‡Hall Signal.	5⅛	*5	5⅛	2,600	Tri. Film v. t. ctfs.....	1½	1¼	1½
110	Holly S. Cp.	46	45	46	200	‡Todd Ship...	83¾	83	83¾
200	Int. Rubber..	11¼	11¼	11¼	600	U. S. S'p Co.	5⅛	5⅜	5⅜
900	‡Int. T. Cp., w. i.	7/16	7/16	7/16	2,500	‡Un. Motors.	33¾	32⅝	32⅝
1,100	‡Do pf., w.i	1	1	1	200	‡Un. Pap'd..	30¼	30	30¼
300	Key. T. & R.	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	800	‡W.-M. A.Co	6⅛	6	6⅝
100	‡Lima Loco..	53	53	53					
100	Marconi of A	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜					

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
75	St. Oil., Cal.	280	276	276	340	St. Oil, N. Y.	311	302	303
175	St. Oil, N. J.	665	658	658					

MISCELLANEOUS OIL STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
100	Alcoken Oil, a prospect.	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	7,000	Met. Petrol.	1⅜	1¼	1¼
1,800	†AlphaO.&G.	59	59	59	400	Mid-Cont. C. Oil & Ut..	12½	12¼	12½
100	‡Atl. Petrol..	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	2,000	†‡Midw. Oil.	78	77	77
4,000	‡Bar. O.& G.	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	100	†‡Mid.Oil pf.	103	101	101
700	†Con. M. Oil, a prospect.	68	68	68	550	Midw. Ref...	138	136	137
200	‡Cos. & Co., Oil Ref...	13	13	13	1,600	‡N.Y.-Ok.Oil	1	1	1
1,000	‡Cos. O.& G.	13⅛	12⅞	12⅞	10,000	†‡Okla. Oil.	9	8½	9
4,200	†‡Cros. Pet., a prospect.	35	34	35	1,000	†‡Okla.Oilpf.	72	72	72
800	‡Elk B. Pet.	10⅝	10⅝	10⅛	3,500	Okl. P. & R..	10⅛	9⅞	10
1,000	‡Elk. O.&G., a prospect.	⅜	⅜	⅜	2,100	†OmarO.&G.	42	40	42
1,000	‡Esmer. Oil.	1⅛	1 1/16	1 1/16	1,500	Osage-H. Oil	9	8⅝	8⅝
1,200	‡Federal Oil	5⅝	5½	5½	800	Penn. Gasol.	1⅛	⅞	1⅛
300	‡Houston Oil	20⅞	20¼	20⅞	13,600	‡Rice Oil...	⅝	⅝	⅝
1,200	‡Int. Petrol..	13⅞	13½	13⅝	1,000	‡Sap. O.& R.	10	9⅞	10
2,700	Kenova Oil, a prospect.	⅜	⅜	⅜	6,500	Seq. O. & R..	1⅜	1 5/16	1⅜
850	Keys. Cons.	6⅛	5⅞	6	700	Sincl. Gulf..	34	32	32½
3,800	‡Merritt Oil.	23½	23½	23½	3,000	‡Unit.W. Oil	⅝	⅝	⅝
					2,100	‡Utah Pot., a prospect.	30	27	28
					700	‡Victor. Oil, new stock.	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
					3,000	‡W.States P.	1 1/16	1 1/16	1 1/16

MINING STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
1,000	Agua. Mines.	15	15	15	300	‡‡Mia. M. C.	⅜	⅜	⅜
2,400	A.-Br. C. M.	1	⅝	1	2,850	‡Milford Cp.	1 1/16	1	1 1/16
8,500	A. M. Corp.	1½	1⅜	1½	6,800	‡‡MogulM.C.	72	61	67
2,600	‡‡Alas. S. C.	47	45	47	500	Mohican Cp.	⅝	⅝	⅝
500	‡Ariz. Cop...	¼	¼	¼	500	Monitor Sil.	⅜	⅜	⅜
1,500	‡‡Ariz.-C. (a pros.)	57	56	57	5,900	‡Monster Ch.	⅝	⅝	⅝
2,300	‡‡Atlanta	12	11⅛	11½	3,300	‡‡Moth.Lode	33	32	33
2,500	‡Atlas Cop..	¾	¾	¾	2,800	‡M.M.& L.pf.	3	2⅞	3
1,000	‡Aust. Ama..	1¼	1¼	1¼	1,200	‡‡Nan.Hanks Montana....	1¼	1¼	1¼
2,140	B. L. C. Co.	3⅛	3	3⅛	3,700	‡Nat.Z.& L..	55	53	54
3,500	‡B.C. (a pr.)	⅝	⅝	⅝	1,000	‡Newray M..	1 3/16	1 3/16	1 3/16
3,000	Bos. & Mon.	62	61	62	3,800	‡N. Y. Zinc (a pros.)..	7/16	⅜	⅜
600	‡Brad. C. M.	1	1	1	800	Nicklas Min.	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
1,000	B. C. & Z., v. t. ctfs..	9¼	9	9	1,500	Nip. Min. Co.	7⅝	7½	7⅝
100	Butte-N. Y..	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	100	‡Ohio Copper new, w. i..	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
6,000	‡‡Caledonia .	65	63	64	8,100	‡‡Old Em. L.	38	35	38
12,000	‡Cal. & Jer.	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1,000	Port. Con. C.	1⅜	1¼	1⅜
2,000	Canada Cop.	2	2	2	1,400	Prog.M.& M.	⅜	⅜	⅜
100	Carl. Min...	6	6	6	2,000	‡Ray Port.'	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
4,500	‡Cashboy	8	7½	8	6,500	‡Red War.M.	1⅛	⅞	1⅛
2,500	‡Coco R. M.	1⅞	1⅜	1⅞	4,000	‡Rex Con.M.	33	32	33
4,500	Con. Ariz. S.	2⅜	2¼	2⅜	3,800	‡Roch. Min..	72	68	70
500	‡Con.-Home..	⅝	⅝	⅝	400	‡Sac. Val. C.	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
700	Cres. C. G..	6⅛	6	6⅛	3,000	‡‡Saga.M.Co.	*1⅛	1 1/16	1 1/16
3,375	‡Emma Con.	*⅞	1 1/16	⅞	50	‡Sec. Thirty.	9½	9½	9½
1,200	‡Gold. Con...	54	52	53	500	Seneca Cop..	11	11	11
2,000	‡‡Gold. Mer..	6⅛	6	6⅛	9,600	Senorita Cp.	2	1⅝	2
2,000	‡Green. Min.	1 1/16	1 1/16	1 1/16	1,000	Silv. Kg. of Arizona....	7/16	7/16	7/16
6,000	‡Har. Min...	17	17	17	400	Stan.Sil.-Ld.	⅜	⅜	⅜
650	Hecla Min....	7⅞	7⅝	7⅞	2,700	Stewart	⅜	⅜	⅜
500	I. N. C. (a pros.)	¼	¼	¼	1,200	‡‡Success M.	40	39	40
500	‡Iron Blos...	1	1	1	1,200	‡Tom. B. G.	22	22	22
7,000	J. V. (a pr.)	1⅞	1 11/16	1⅞	700	‡Ton. Belm..	4¼	4⅛	4¼
200	Jer. V. E. (a pros.)	1¼	1¼	1¼	1,400	Ton. Ext....	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
2,000	‡‡Jim Butler	71	70	71	4,000	‡‡Troy-Ariz.	38	36	36
900	J.-K. (a pr.)	½	½	½	1,400	Un. Cop. M.	⅜	⅜	⅜
1,500	‡Jumbo Ext.	41	40	41	300	United East..	4½	4⅜	4⅜
4,000	La Rose C...	½	7/16	½	1,200	‡‡Un.Magma	46	43	46
1,500	L. P. M. C..	1⅝	1¼	1⅝	4,500	‡‡U.S.Con.M.	8	8	8
1,400	Mag. Cop....	48	46½	48	400	‡Un.Ver.Ex.	37	36¼	36¼
520	‡‡Magm.Cop.	24	22	24	34,000	‡‡Utah N. M.	1½	1¼	1½
2,500	‡Magn. Cop..	83	82	83	4,000	‡‡VerdeInsp.	71	70	71
2,500	‡‡Marsh Min.	23	21	22	1,500	Wh.CapsM.C.	1⅝	1⅜	1⅝
5,825	Marysv.G.M.	1 1/16	1¼	1⅜	17,000	‡Yering.M.C.	30	27	29
500	Mason Val..	6	6	6					

BONDS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$150,000	‡A.Sm.5s..	*93⅝	93¼	93¼	$15,000	‡Lg. I. deb. new 5s..	84	83¾	84
3,000	‡Att.Ch.5s.	99	96	99	20,000	‡Rus. Gov. new 5½s.	84⅝	83⅝	83⅝
1,000	‡Beth.S.5s 2-yr nts..	98⅛	97¾	98⅛	10,000	‡Rus. Gov. 6½s	92½	92	92½
15,000	‡Cos.O.6s..	102	101¾	102	14,000	‡So.Ry.5% notes ...	98	97¾	97¾
11,000	‡Erie 5s notes	98	97⅞	97⅞					

*Odd lot. †Sell cents per share. ‡Unlisted.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Bid and asked quotations of stocks not traded in compared with those of previous day:

INDUSTRIALS.

	Yesterday. Bid.	Ask.	Monday. Bid.	Ask.
Aetna Exp. pf.	22	30	22	30
Air Reduction.	73	75	75	75½
Am.-Brit.Mfg.	8	12	8	12
Do pf.	80	85	80	85
Am.Drug.Syn.	10	15	10	15
Am. Int. Cor.	50	51	50	51
Am. S. 1st pf.	96	98	96	98
Am. Su. Tob.	22	23	22	23
Do pf......	77	85	77	85
Am. W. Paper	3¼	4	3½	4
Atlan. Steel..	125	140	125	140
Br.-Am. Tob. Ord....	18	19	18	19
Do ord. B...	18⅜	19¼	18⅜	19¼
Cal. P. Corp..	35⅜	36½	35⅜	36½
Charcoal Iron.	7	7½	7	7½
Dd pf.....	6	6½	6	6½
Car. Lt. & P.	2½	2⅞	2½	2⅞
Cent. Fdry...	22	26	22	26
Cramp Ship..	88½	90	88½	90
Emer. Motor.	1⅝	2⅛	1⅝	2⅛
Fall Motors..	7	9	7	9
Fisk R. cv.pf.	..	103	..	103
Grant Mo.Car	7	9	7	9
Hall Sig. pf..	12	14	12	14
Haskell & B..	88⅛	89	88⅛	89
Hendee Mfg..	80	34	80	34
Holly Sug. pf.	99¼	102	99¼	102
Imp Carb. Ch.	⅛	⅝	⅛	½
Int.ArmsFuse Sec. Corp...	24	26	24	26
Joplin Ore S..	22	24	22	24
K. T. & R. pf.	17¼	17¾	17¼	17¾
Kresge	10½	11¼	10½	11¼
Do pf.......	11	11¼	11	11¼
Lake T. Boat.	7½	8	7½	8
Lake Tor. Bt. 1st pf......	8	9	8	9

INDUSTRIALS.—*Continued*

	Yesterday. Bid.	Ask.	Monday. Bid.	Ask.
Lukens Steel 1st pf......	100	101	100	101
Lukens Steel..	39	41	39	41
Leh. V. C. S..	87	93	85	90
Man. El. Sup.	47	50	47	50
Man. El. S.pf.	96	99	96	99
Marlin Arms..	77	82	76	82
Mitchell Mot..	46	52	46	52
Motor Prod...	43	46	43	46
Nat. Auto Cp.	15	25	15	25
Pierce-Arrow.	41⅛	43	41⅛	43
Do pf.......	100	105	100	105
Poole E. & M.	75	85	75	85
Peer. T. & M.	12	15	12	15
Pyrene Mfg....	10½	11⅛	10½	11⅛
Redden M. T.	18½	19½	19½	20
Repub. Truck.	71⅛	73	71⅛	73
Rep. Trk. pf.	94	96	94	96
S. A. O. Corp.	35	37	35	37
Do pf.......	95	96½	95	96½
Spring. Body.	55	65	65	70
Do pf.......	100	110	104	112
Standard Mot.	13	13½	13	13½
Sup. S. 1st pf.	98	102	100	100½
United Sugar.	36¼	36¾	36¼	36½
Un. Dyewood	63	65	63	65
World Film...	⅝	¾	⅝	¾
Wright-Martin Aircraft pf..	44	48	45	50
Zinc Con.....	2¼	2⅝	2¼	2⅝
OIL STOCKS.				
Am. Ven. Oil.	23	25	23	25
C. O. & G. pf.	4⅜	5	4⅜	5
Crown Oil....	⅞	1	⅞	1
Pierce Oil ...	13	13½	13	13½
Tide Wat. Oil.	193	196	194	197
BOND.				
Pierce Oil ...	82	84	82	84

NEW YORK CITY BONDS

		Yesterday. Bid.	Ask.	Monday. Bid.
6s	Sept., 1917....	100⅛	100⅜	100½
4½s	June, 1965....	106	107½	106
4½s	Mar., 1963....	106	107½	106
4½s	Nov., 1957....	106	107½	106
4½s	May, 1957....	106	107½	106
4½s	Nov., 1917....	100	..	100½
4½s	June, 1917....	100	..	100
4½s	May, 1917....	100	..	100
4½s	May, 1960-30..	100⅜	101¼	100⅜
4¼s	April, 1966....	100⅜	101¼	100⅜
4¼s	Mar., 1964....	100⅜	101¼	100⅜
4¼s	Mar., 1962....	100⅜	101¼	100⅜
4¼s	Sept., 1960....	100⅜	101¼	100⅜
4s	May, 1917....	99⅛	100¼	99⅝
4s	Nov., 1958....	99⅛	100¾	99⅝
4s	Nov., 1955....	98⅛	99½	99
4s	Nov., 1956....	98⅛	99½	99
4s	Nov., 1936....	98⅛	99½	99
4s	May, 1919....	99⅝	..	99⅝
4s	Nov., 1918....	99⅝	..	99⅝
4s	May, 1917....	99⅝	..	99⅝
3½s	Nov., 1955....	..	90	..
3½s	Nov., 1954....	88	89½	88
3½s	May, 1954....	88	89½	88

The following are quoted on a percentage basis:

		Yesterday. Bid.	Ask.	Monday. Bid.
4½s.	1924-1930	4.15	3.80	4.15
4½s	1918-1923	4.15	3.75	4.15
4½s	1924-1932	4.15	3.75	4.15
4½s	1921-1923	4.15	..	4.15
4½s	April, 1920....	4.10	..	4.10
4½s	1917-1919	4.10	..	4.10
3½s	1940-1953	4.20	4.05	4.20
3½s	1930-1939	4.20	4.05	4.20
3½s	1922-1929	4.20	4.05	4.20
3s	1926-1930	4.20	4.05	4.20

UNITED STATES GOVT. BONDS

Inasmuch as the bulk of the business in United States Government bonds is done over the counter, and not on the Stock Exchange, THE TIMES gives the following quotations, obtained from bond dealers:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
2s, registered, 1930.....	98	99	4s, registered, 1925......	105½	107
2s, coupon, 1930.....	98	99	4s, coupon, 1925......	105½	108
3s, registered, 1918.....	99	101	2s, Panama, 1938, reg...	97½	98½
3s, coupon, 1918.....	99	101	2s, Panama, '38, coupon	97½	98½
3s, registered, 1946.....	96	99	3s, Panama, 1961, reg..	95	98
3s, coupon, 1946.....	96	99	3s, Panama, '61, coupon	95	98½
3s, conversion, 1947.....	96	99			

MUNITIONS STOCKS

	Yesterday. Bid.	Ask.	Monday. Bid.
Aetna pf..........	10	15	10
American Brass...	311	316	311
Atlas Powder.....	151	155	151
Do pf............	99	101	99
Babcock & Wilcox.	120	124	120
Bliss	450	500	450
Do pf	73	78	73
Can. Explosives....	350	450	350
Do pf.	104	110	104
Can. F. & F.......	155	160	155
Colt's Arms.......	104	108	98
Du Pont...........	242	247	245
Do old com........	108	113	110
Do deb. pf........	100½	102	100½
Hercules Powder..	239	244	243
Do pf.............	118	122	118
Niles-Bem't-Pond..	168	173	162
Scovill Mfg........	605	615	580
Winchester Arms..	750	850	750

PUBLIC UTILITIES

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Closing— Bid.	Asked.
180	Cities Service	287	284	284	287
570	Cities Service pf...........	89	88	88	88½

Closing quotations for issues which are not included in the above table of transactions were reported as follows:

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Stocks.

	Bid.	Asked.
Adirondack Elec. Power	25	27
Adiron. Elec. Pow. pf...	82	85
American Cities........	5	15
American Cities pf.....	29	32
American Gas	118	120
Am. Gas & Electric...	131	133
Am. Gas & Elec. pf...	50	51
Am. Light & Traction..	330	334
Am. Light & Trac. pf.	112	113
Am. Power & Light...	77	78
Am. Power & Light pf.	89	91
Am. Public Utilities...	35	38
Am. Pub. Utilities pf..	68	71
Am. W. W. & E.......	9	10
Am. W. W. & E. 1st pf.	82	84
Am. W. W. & E. part.	28	30
Appalachian Power	5	7
Appalachian Power pf..	36	40
Carolina Power & Light	39	41
Carolina P. & Light pf.	100	102
Cent. Miss. V. Prop. pf.	..	72½
Central States Electric.	18	15
Central States El. pf..	73	76
Colorado Power	30	32
Colorado Power pf.....	99	102
Commonwealth P. & L.	53	55
Com'wealth P. & L. pf.	75½	77½
Columbus Electric pf..	80	83
Connecticut Power pf..	93	96
Consumers' Power pf..	96	99
Dayton Power & L. pf..	92	93½
Duluth Edison pf......	80	84
Eastern Texas Electric.	59	63
Eastern Texas El. pf..	85	90
Electric B. & S. pf....	99½	100
El Paso Electric........	105	..
El Paso Electric pf.....	98	..
Electric Properties	64	66
Empire Dist. El. pf....	90	94
Empire Gas & Fuel....	99	100
Federal Light & Trac..	12	14
Federal Light & T. pf..	50	52
Galveston-Hous. Elec..	25	30
Gal.-Hous. Electric pf.	75	80
Gas & Elec. Securities.	300	325
Gas & Elec. Secur. pf.	94	100
Illinois Traction	..	46
International Traction..	49	51

	Bid.	Asked.
International Trac. pf..	90	92
Interstate Elec. Corp...	32	42
Interstate Elec. pf.....	90	95
Lincoln Gas & Electric.	47	49
Miss. River Power......	9	10
Miss. River Power pf..	34	38
New England Co.......	52	55
New Eng. Co. 1st pf..	97	101
New England Co. 2d pf	65	69
New Eng. Power pf...	103	108
Northern Ohio Electric.	36	39
Northern Ohio Elec. pf.	76	79
North. Ont. Lt. & Pow.	11	13
North. Ont. L. & P. pf.	57	61
Northern States Power.	96	98
Northern States P. pf..	98	100
Northern Texas Elec...	53	56
Northern Texas El. pf.	80	85
Ozark Power & Water.	38	42
Pacific Gas & Electric.	59⅝	60
Pacific Gas & Elec. pf.	91	92
Pine Bluff 7 p. c. pf...	98	100
Public Service Inv. pf.	80	84
Puget Sound Traction..	25	30
Republic Ry. & Light..	36¼	36½
Republic Ry. & Lt. pf.	67	68
Sierra Pacific Elec. pf.	70	75
Southern Cal. Edison...	87	89
South. Cal. Edison pf..	106	107
Southwest. P. & L. pf..	97½	100
Stand. Gas & Electric..	12	13
Stand. Gas & Elec. pf..	37	38
Tampa Electric	124	128
Tenn. Ry., L. & Power.	6½	7⅛
Tenn. Ry., L. & P. pf..	29	31
Texas Pow. & Lt. pf...	98	100
Toledo Traction	53	55
Tri-City R. L. pf......	93	94½
United Gas & Electric.	5	8
Un. Gas & E. 1st pf...	65	73
Un. Gas & E. 2d pf....	7	10
United Gas Improve....	89	89¼
United Light & Rys...	42	43
United L. & Rys. 1st pf.	70	72
West. P. Tr. & W. P..	16	18
W. P. Tr. & W. P. pf..	70	74
Western Power	15	16
Western Power pf......	54	56
Western Penn. pf.......	105	107
Yadkin River P. 7% pf.	99	102

Bonds.

	Bid.	Asked.
Am. Cities 5s-6s, 1919..	98⅛	99⅛
Am. W. W. & E. col. 5s	76	78
Appa. Power 5s, 1932..	80	84
Baton Rouge Elec. 5s..	90	93½
Cent. P. & L. 1st 6s....	97	100
Central Ill. Light 5s....	96½	98
Cape Breton El., Ltd., 1st 5s	89	93
Cin., G. & E. Co. 1st 5s, 1956	100	101½
Col. G. & E. 1st 5s, '27.	90	91
Col. G. & E. deb. 5s,'27	80	84
Com'wealth P. (Neb.) 1st 6s, 1944..........	97	100
Conn. Power 1st 5s....	95	99
Conn. R. P. 5s, 1937...	97	100
[illegible] Co. P. & L. 1st ref. 5s, 1942.........	96	98½
Cum. Gas & El. 1st 5s.	100¼	101½
Dallas Electric 5s, 1917.	99½	100
Defiance G. & E. 5s, '42	91	94
Denver G. & E. gen. 5s.	97	99
East. Ohio 1st 5s.......	100	102
East. Tex. Elec. 6s, '18.	99½	100½
East. Tex. Elec. col. 5s.	89	92½
El Paso Electric 5s.....	95	97
Empire Gas & F. 6s....	98⅛	99⅛
Fed. Light & Tr. 5s....	87½	90
Fed. Light & Trac. 6s..	90	93
Galveston Elec. 1st 5s.	88	92
Gt. West. Pow. 5s, '46..	83	85
Gt. West. Pow. 6s, '25.	96	100
Houston Electric 1st 5s.	96½	99¼
I. R., L. & P. 1st 6s,'42	99	102
Ken. Pub. Svc. 5s, '41.	93	96
Knox. Gas 1st 5s, '36..	90	95
L. G. & E. Co. 1st 5s,'41	92	96
Mich. Light 5s, 1946..	97¼	99
Middle West U. 6s, '25.	97	99

	Bid.	Asked.
Man. & S. R. & L. 5s..	99½	100
Miss. R. P. Co. 1st 5s..	72½	75
Miss. V. G. & E. 5s, '22	90	93
Nat. Sec. p. l. 6s......	89½	92
Nat. Sec. deb.........	48	58
Nat. Sec. income......	10	14
Nev.-Cal. Elec. 6s, '46.	97	99
New Eng. Pow. 5s, '51.	97	100
N. O. L. & P. 1st 6s,'31	83	88
Nor. States P. 6s, 1926.	99	100
Nor. States Pow. 5s, '41	94½	96½
Nor. Tex. El. col. tr. 5s	88	93
Ohio Gas 1st 5s, 1939..	100½	102
O. & C. B.Ry.1st 5s,'28.	95	98
P., G. & E. (Ariz.) 6s,'31	95	100
Pensacola Elec. 1st 5s..	86	90
Portland Gen. Elec. 5s.	99	101
Puget Sd. Trac. notes..	99	100
Seattle Elec. con. 5s....	92	96
Stand. Gas & Elec. 6% notes, 1935	92	96
Stand. G. of N. J. 5s,'46	94	96
So. Cal. Ed. 5s, 1939...	95	97
Tampa Elec. 1st 5s....	97	..
Twin State Gas & El. 5s, 1953	90	92
Un. Light & Rys. 1st 5s, 1932	88	91
Un. Light & Rys. deb. 6s, 1926.........	97½	99
United Util. cv. 6s, '43	97½	98½
U. S. S., R. & M.6s,'26.	111	113
Utah Securities 6s.....	93	95
W. W. Light 6s, 1925..	96	98
Western Power 1st 5s..	97½	99
West. S. G. & E. 1st 5s	91½	93½
West. P. Pen. 1st 5s,'46	97	98½
Wis. Edison 6s, 1924...	96	98
Yadkin Riv. Pow. 5s..	80	83

OUT-OF-TOWN EXCHANGES

BALTIMORE.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
35	Cons. Power..	115½	115½	115¼	10	Norf. Ry. & Lt.	27	27	27
11	Citizens' Bank.	45¼	45¼	45¼	25	State Bk.of Md.	7	7	7
35	Cons. Coal.....	107	107	107	60	Union Bank....	140	140	140
62	Cosden & Co...	13	12⅞	12⅞	100	United Ry.....	29¼	29¼	29¼
225	Cos. O. & G..	13	13	13	15	West. Bank....	36	36	36
750	Cos. O. & G. pf.	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞	25	Wayland Oil..	4	4	4
15	Davison Chem.	37⅝	37⅛	37⅝	10	W., B. & A. pf.	41	41	41
5	Fidel. & Dep...	130	130	130					

Bonds.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$2,200	Cons. Power notes	102¾	102¾	102¾	$1,000	Geo.-Car. N. 5s	101	101	101
4,000	Coal & C. 5s	96¾	96¾	96¾	3,000	M. & St. P. jt. 5s.....	100	100	100
5,000	Cos. & Co.6s.	102½	102	102½	2,000	Mon. V.Tr.5s	92¼	92¼	92¼
1,000	Cos. O. & G. notes	102½	102½	102½					

BOSTON.

Mining.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
100	Adventure ..	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	15	Nipissing ...	7⅛	7⅜	7⅜
8	Ahmeek	100	99	100	1	North Butte.	21½	21½	21½
280	Am. Zinc....	31½	31	31½	3	North S. M..	11	11	11
100	Do pf......	66⅛	66⅛	66⅛	30	Old Dom'n....	59½	59½	59½
450	Ariz. Com'l..	14¼	13⅞	13⅞	24	Osceola	84½	84	84
100	Butte & Bal.	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	30	Quincy	85	85	85
45	Cal. & Ariz..	80	79⅞	79⅞	75	Ray Con.....	30	30	30
15	Chino	55	55	55	100	Santa Fe.....	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
100	Cop. Range..	62¼	61⅞	61⅞	220	Shannon	8½	8½	8½
150	Davis-Daly .	5	5	5	35	St. M. Land.	80	79⅞	79⅞
100	Daly-West ..	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	300	Sup. & Bos..	5¼	5	5
165	East Butte..	13	13	13	10	Superior	10	10	10
1	Indiana	3	3	3	400	Trinity	4¼	4	4
60	Isle Royale..	30	29½	29½	325	U. S. Smelt.	56¼	56¼	56¼
200	Keweenaw ..	2¼	2¼	2¼	2	Do pf......	50	50	50
220	Lake Copper.	13	12½	13	405	Utah Apex..	2	2	2
400	Mason Val'y.	5⅞	5⅝	5⅞	50	Utah Con....	15½	15¼	15¼
5	Mayflower ..	2¼	2¼	2¼	25	Utah	116⅜	116⅜	116⅜
10	*Miami	40¼	40¼	40¼	630	Utah Metal..	5⅛	5	5⅛
50	New Arca'n..	3½	3½	3½	10	Wolverine ..	42	42	42
25	New Idria...	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜					

Railroads.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
10	Atchison	102½	102¼	102½	28	Fitchburg pf.	68	68	68
15	Boston Elev.	71⅝	71⅝	71⅝	5	Mass. Elec..	3½	3½	3½
8	C. J. & S. Y. pf	103	101	103	186	Do pf......	23	21	22
10	Conn. Pass..	89	89	89	42	West E. St..	52¼	52¼	52¼

Miscellaneous.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
15	Am.A. C. pf.	101	101	101	69	N. E. Cot. Y.	89½	89½	89½
70	Am. Sugar..	112	112	112	10	Nova S. S...	92½	92½	92½
29	Do pf.....	118⅛	118	118⅛	32	Pacific Mills.	136	135	135
75	Am. Wool. pf	98⅛	98	98	45	Punta A. S...	36	35	36
69	Amoskeag pf	95	95	95	65	Reece But'e.	15	15	15
100	Art Metal....	10	10	10	1,566	Swift	160⅛	159	159⅛
2,845	A.,G. & W.I.	104⅛	101½	104¼	25	Torrington ..	63½	63½	63½
11	Edison	194½	194	194½	6	T. Plant......	103⅛	102	102
45	Gen. Elec....	165⅛	164⅛	164½	25	United Drug.	75	75	75
5	Int. Port. C.	29½	29½	29½	280	United Fruit.	136	135⅛	136
280	Mass. Gas...	96	95	95½	565	U. Shoe M....	56⅞	55⅝	55⅞
50	Do pf.......	79	78½	78⅝	31	Do pf......	29½	28	28½
85	Mergenthal'r.	150	150	150	260	Ventura Oil..	6⅞	6⅝	6⅝

Bonds.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$1,000	A., G. & W. I. 5s.......	81	81	81	$1,000	A. T. & T. 5s	99⅝	99⅝	99⅝
7,000	Am. Agr. C. 5s, 1928....	101	101	101	2,000	N. E. Tel. 5s	98	98	98
					1,000	Old Col. R. R. 5s.....	90	90	90
5,000	A. T. & T. 4s	89¼	89¼	89¼	6,000	Swift 5s.....	100½	100⅛	100⅛

*Ex dividend.

CHICAGO.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
125	Am. Ship....	76¼	74½	76½	48	Lindsay Lt...	21	21	21
180	Booth Fish...	115½	110	110	1	Mont.Wd.pf.	115¾	115¾	115¾
5	Do pf......	91½	91½	91½	272	Prest-O-Lite.	134	134	134
160	Canal & Dk.	50	49½	50	24	Pub. Serv...	102½	102½	102½
86	Ch.El.Rys.pf.	21	21	21	25	Quaker Oats.	300	300	300
30	Chi.Pn.Tool..	70	69⅞	70	8	Do pf......	111½	111½	111½
9	Ch.Ry.Ser.2.	15¼	15¼	15¼	237	Sears-Roeb..	177½	176	176½
50	Ch. Ti. & Tr.	205	205	205	1,108	Stew. Warn.	79⅛	75	75½
36	Cudahy	125⅝	125	125	2,444	Swift	162¼	158⅝	160
68	Com. Edison.	132	131	131	930	Un. Carbide.	209¼	206¼	208
200	Dia. Match..	120⅛	120	120	1,570	Un. Paperbd	31	29⅝	31
8	H., S. & M.	80	80	80	140	Do pf......	80	79	79
75	Hartman....	71⅛	71⅛	71½	230	Wilson	76	75	75¼
50	K. C. L. & P.	42	42	42	30	Strawboard..	60	60	60
116	Linde Air...	260	260	260					

Bonds.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$1,000	BoothFish.6s.	94	94	94	$1,000	Ch.Ry.1st 5s	93	93	93
10,000	Chi. Cy. Ry. 1st 5s.....	96	96	96	17,000	Swift 1st 5s.	100¼	100	100¼
1,000	Ch.Pn.Tl.5s..	98	98	98	1,000	Wils. 1st 6s.	101¾	101¾	101¾

PHILADELPHIA.

Stocks.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
645	Elec. Stor...	62¼	60	60	62	Phila. Elec..	32	31¾	32
10	Ins., N. A...	26¼	26⅛	26¼	1,245	P. R. T. t. c.	30⅜	30	30¼
730	L. Sup. Cp..	19⅝	19½	19½	558	Tono. Belmt.	4¼	4¼	4¼
200	Lehigh Nav.	78	78	78	480	Tono. Min....	6¼	6¼	6¼
30	Lehigh Val..	64⅛	62½	62½	10	Union Trac..	43	43	43
569	*Pennsyl. ...	52⅝	52⅛	52⅛	515	W. Cr'p & S.	89	87⅝	88
63	Penn. Salt...	94½	94½	94½	15	York Ry. pf.	37	37	37
25	Phila. Co....	34	34	34					

Bonds.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.
$7,000	Bald. Loco. 1st 5s ...	104¼	104	104¼	$1,000	L. V. g. 4s..	88¼	88¼	88¼
					3,000	Do con.4½s	97¾	97¾	97¾
4,000	Beth. St. 6s.	121	121	121	8,000	Penn. c. 4½s.	104	104	104
22,000	Interst. R. 4s.	54	54	54	7,000	Read. g. 4s..	92¾	92¼	92¼
2,000	Lehigh Nav. 4½s	101	101	101	1,000	St. G.& E.6s.	101½	101½	101½

*Ex dividend.

STANDARD OIL STOCKS

	Yesterday. Bid.	Ask.	Monday. Bid.
Anglo-Am. Oil	16¼	16⅝	16½
Atlantic Refining..	930	940	920
Borne-Scrymser ...	450	465	445
Buckeye Pipe Line.	102	105	102
Chesebrough Mfg..	400	420	400
Colonial Oil	50	70	50
Continental Oil....	545	560	545
Crescent Pipe Line.	38	40	38
Cumberland P. L...	155	165	155
Eureka Pipe Line..	215	225	215
Galena Signal Oil..	150	155	152
Galena Sig. O. pf.	138	142	138
Illinois Pipe Line..	228	233	226
Indiana Pipe Line.	98	101	98
Int. Pet. Co., Ltd..	13⅛	14	13⅛
National Transit ..	16	18	16
N. Y. Transit.....	195	205	195
Northern Pipe L..	98	102	98
Ohio Oil	362	366	365
Penn.-Mex. F. Co..	45	50	45
Prairie Oil & Gas..	565	575	570
Prairie Pipe Line..	300	305	302
Solar Refining.....	340	360	340
Southern Pipe Line.	204	208	202
South. Penn. Oil....	300	305	300
Southwest. Penn....	108	113	108
Stand. Oil of Cal..	273	280	272
Stand. Oil of Ind...	800	810	795
Stand. Oil of Kan..	470	480	455
Stand. Oil of Ky...	355	365	355
Stand. Oil of Neb..	559	570	550
Stand. Oil of N. J.	655	660	648
Stand. Oil of N. Y.	300	305	308
Stand. Oil of Ohio.	450	465	440
Swan & Finch.....	100	110	100
Union Tank.......	92	94	92
Vacuum Oil	375	385	378
Washington Oil....	30	35	30

TOBACCO STOCKS

Closing quotations of stocks not quoted elsewhere:

	Yesterday. Bid.	Ask.	Monday. Bid.
American Cigar....	107	113	107
Do pf............	95	99	95
Conley Foil	250	325	250
J. S. Young........	160	175	160
Do pf............	105	110	105
Johnson T. F. & M.	100	125	100
MacAndrews & F..	212	217	210
Do pf............	99	103	99
P. R.-Am. Tob.....	220	230	215
R. J. Reynolds....	500	550	500
Do pf.	115	120	117

EARNINGS.

Railroads.

CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN—

		Increase.
3d week April.........	$331,069	$13,785
July 1-April 23.........	13,370,258	1,029,165

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN for March—

	1917.	1916.	1915.
Gross	7,961,084	7,725,542	6,161,048
Net aft. taxes.	1,261,025	2,280,408	1,473,161
Sur. aft. chgs.	410,446	1,416,559	687,362
Gross, 3 mos..	22,525,632	21,445,869	18,290,864
Net aft. taxes.	4,611,794	6,358,410	4,079,685
Sur. aft. chgs.	2,009,193	3,703,685	2,234,665

In addition to full compensation due employes for March, 1917, under the Adamson law, the operating expenses for that month include additional payments made for the months of January and February, 1917, the original payrolls for those months having been made at the old rates. These payments were as follows: January, $155,258; February, $145,427.

CHICAGO, ST. PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS & OMAHA for March—

	1917.	1916.	1915.
Gross	1,633,975	1,727,297	1,478,044
Net aft. taxes.	329,473	548,773	442,815
Sur. aft. chgs.	94,627	300,118	180,457
3 mos. gross..	4,527,557	4,741,624	4,260,280
Net aft. taxes.	833,699	1,276,476	1,025,161
Sur. aft. chgs.	169,664	559,307	325,963

In addition to full compensation due employes for March, 1917, under the Adamson law, the operating expenses for the month include one-tenth of the additional payments made for the months of January and February, 1917. The original payrolls for these months have been made at old rates. These additional payments were as follows: January, $33,641; February, $33,755.

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS for March—

	1917.	1916.	Increase.
Miles operated	3,865	3,865	......
Op. revenue ..	3,201,157	2,736,090	465,067
Op. exp.......	2,636,576	2,523,604	112,972
Net op. rev...	564,581	212,486	352,094
Taxes accrued.	131,767	132,577	*809
Op. income....	423,813	79,908	352,904
Ded. from inc. less oth. inc.	10,821	31,569	*20,747
Inc. avail. for interest	421,991	48,339	373,652
Interest	552,096	548,840	3,255
Net loss	130,105	500,501	*370,396
Three months ended March 31:			
Miles operated.	3,865	3,865	......
Op. revenue..	9,626,786	7,798,695	1,828,091
Op. exp.......	8,213,904	7,254,021	959,882
Net op. rev...	1,412,882	544,673	868,209
Taxes accrued.	387,163	395,327	*8,163
Op. income...	1,025,718	149,345	876,373
Ded. from inc. less oth. inc.	84,635	99,602	*14,967
Inc. avail. for interest ...	941,083	49,743	891,340
Interest	1,647,320	1,647,387	*67
Net loss......	706,236	1,597,644	*891,407

*Decrease.

NASHVILLE, CHATTANOOGA & ST. LOUIS for March—

Gross	1,175,238	1,130,021	923,237
Net after tax..	222,213	209,737	110,259
3 mos. gross..	3,473,548	3,212,071	2,619,752
Net after tax..	689,912	680,161	296,765

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY for March—

	1917.	1916.	Increase.
Gross	6,605,403	6,470,535	134,868
Net after tax..	2,132,032	2,594,727	*462,265
3 mos. gross...	18,324,994	16,890,749	1,434,244
Net after tax..	5,915,109	6,130,578	*215,469

*Decrease.

PENNSYLVANIA SYSTEM for March—

Lines East:	1917.	1916.	1915.
Gross	26,859,795	23,594,051	18,501,614
Net after tax..	5,060,066	5,243,127	2,610,345
3 mos. gross...	72,056,355	66,795,996	51,530,179
Net after tax..	10,500,666	13,699,426	5,104,020
Lines West:			
Gross	12,967,439	11,609,411	8,630,478
Net after tax..	1,873,637	2,664,051	1,518,538
3 mos. gross...	34,396,768	32,685,646	23,844,787
Net after tax..	2,752,329	6,922,980	2,761,608
Total All Lines:			
Gross	39,827,235	35,203,462	27,132,092
Net after tax..	6,933,703	7,907,178	4,128,884
3 mos. gross..	106,453,123	99,481,642	75,374,967
Net after tax..	13,252,996	20,622,407	7,865,627

ST. LOUIS & SAN FRANCISCO RAILWAY for March—

	1917.	1916.	Increase.
Gross	4,629,762	4,223,415	406,347
Net after tax..	1,166,044	1,022,164	143,880
9 mos. gross..	42,329,998	35,801,801	6,528,197
Net after tax..	12,528,472	10,007,312	2,521,160

SEABOARD AIR LINE for March—

	1917.	1916.	1915.
Gross	2,685,542	2,449,736	2,136,471
Net after tax..	786,057	845,304	656,456
3 mos. gross...	7,804,052	6,884,264	5,688,856
Net after tax..	2,240,451	2,191,787	1,469,220

PHILADELPHIA & READING for March—

	1917.	1916.	Increase.
Receipts	5,619,825	5,354,007	265,817
Expenses	4,162,527	3,157,088	1,005,438
Profit in op'g.	1,457,298	2,196,919	*739,620
Rent, int., tax., &c., (est.)...	832,500	770,250	62,250
Surplus	624,798	1,426,669	*801,870
From Jan. 1:			
Receipts	15,619,201	15,209,758	409,442
Expenses	11,512,896	9,421,578	2,091,318
Profit	4,106,304	5,788,179	*1,681,875
Charges	2,497,500	2,310,750	186,750
Surplus	1,608,804	3,477,429	*1,868,625

PHILADELPHIA & READING COAL AND IRON for March—

Receipts	3,934,538	3,711,420	223,118
Expenses	3,449,604	3,303,501	146,103
Profit in op'g.	484,934	407,919	77,014
Int. and taxes, (estimated)...	12,500	8,000	4,500
Surplus	472,434	399,919	72,514
From Jan. 1:			
Receipts	11,253,469	11,563,523	*310,053
Expenses	9,909,259	10,565,782	*656,523
Profit	1,344,210	997,740	346,469
Charges	37,500	24,000	13,500
Surplus	1,306,710	973,740	332,969

READING COMPANY for March—

Receipts	587,588	569,275	18,312
Expenses	11,301	10,527	774
Profit	576,286	558,747	17,538
Int. and taxes, (estimated)...	493,000	457,666	35,333
Surplus	83,286	101,081	*17,794
From Jan. 1.			
Receipts	1,759,631	1,711,073	48,557
Expenses	28,566	27,626	939
Profit	1,731,064	1,683,446	47,618
Charges	1,479,000	1,373,000	106,000
Surplus	252,064	310,446	*58,381

*Decrease.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY SYSTEM—

Southern Railway Company:

	1917.	1916.	Increase.
March gross..	7,106,863	6,370,016	736,846
Net over oper. exps. & tax.	2,045,534	1,950,660	94,873
9 mos. gross...	59,802,891	52,745,986	7,056,904
Net over oper. exps. & tax.	18,084,220	15,694,775	2,389,444
The Cincinnati, New Orleans & Texas Pacific Railway Company:			
March gross...	1,051,047	1,051,958	*910
Net over oper. exps. & tax.	283,626	287,929	*4,303
9 mos. gross...	9,142,352	8,119,978	1,022,374
Net over oper. exps. & tax.	2,919,211	2,202,663	716,547
Alabama Great Southern Railroad Company:			
March gross ..	523,916	504,698	19,218
Net over oper. exps. & tax..	124,636	151,041	*26,405
9 mos. gross..	4,565,500	4,101,499	464,001
Net over oper. exps. & tax..	1,440,169	1,178,669	261,500
New Orleans & Northeastern Railroad Company:			
March gross ..	353,275	334,664	18,611
Net over oper. exps. & tax..	88,183	96,030	*7,847
9 mos. gross...	3,225,371	2,828,731	396,639
Net over oper. exps. & tax..	958,813	757,488	201,825
GEORGIA SOUTHERN & FLORIDA—			
March gross ..	228,310	219,436	8,876
Net over oper. exps. & tax..	30,902	38,798	*7,896
9 mos. gross...	2,154,439	1,864,564	289,875
Net over oper. exps. & tax..	505,760	393,413	112,347
MOBILE & OHIO—			
March gross ..	1,067,642	1,019,997	47,644
Net over oper. exps. & tax..	232,876	269,675	*36,798
9 mos. gross...	9,345,504	8,700,056	645,447
Net over oper. exps. & tax..	1,902,027	1,999,724	*97,697

*Decrease.

WESTERN MARYLAND—

	1917.	1916.	1915.
March gross ..	1,111,503	905,290	756,209
Net after taxes	297,834	268,282	196,595
3 mos. gross...	3,118,688	2,599,114	2,007,271
Net after taxes	844,122	757,627	412,629

Public Utilities.

AMERICAN LIGHT AND TRACTION COMPANY (years ending March 31)—

	1917.	1916.	Increase.
Earnings subsidiary co's..	$5,161,484	$4,846,195	$315,289
Misc. earn'gs..	595,906	595,430	476
Net earnings..	5,488,896	5,272,106	216,790
Gross earn'gs..	5,757,391	5,441,625	315,766
Expenses	268,494	165,519	98,975
Surp. Mar. 31, year pr. ...	11,161,292	10,090,118	1,071,174
Total surplus.	16,650,189	15,362,224	1,287,965
Less divs., pf. cash	854,172	854,172	......
Common cash divs.	1,846,692	1,673,380	173,312
Common stock divs.	1,846,692	1,673,380	173,312
Total divs. ...	4,547,557	4,200,932	346,625
Surpl. balance March 31 ...	12,102,632	11,161,292	941,340

NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY for the twelve months ended March 31—

Gross earnings	6,353,050	5,388,444	964,606
Net after taxes	3,396,051	3,005,702	390,349
Sur. aft. chgs.	1,775,150	......	......
Balance after pf. divs. ...	968,065	......	......

NIAGARA, LOCKPORT AND ONTARIO POWER COMPANY for the year ended Dec. 31—

Gross profit from sales of electric power	$1,156,119
Net profit after operating expenses, taxes, &c............	964,383
Surplus after charges..................	406,825
Add discount of company's bonds purchased	10,308
Profit and loss surplus............	417,133

Miscellaneous.

BURNS BROTHERS OF NEW YORK AND NEW JERSEY for the fiscal year ended March 31—

Net sales of coal..................	$15,235,910
Cost of coal.......................	11,670,830
Gross profit	3,565,079
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NOTICE TO HOLDERS OF OXFORD PAPER COMPANY First Mortgage 6% Bonds, dated July 1, 1915.

UNION SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST COMPANY, Trustee under mortgage securing above bonds, desires to purchase $250,000 of the same for the Sinking Fund purposes under terms of said mortgage. Proposals to sell will be received at the office of said UNION SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST COMPANY, in Portland, Maine, until MAY 25, 1917, at which time said offers will be opened. No offer exceeding 105 and interest will be considered. Bonds purchased to be delivered on or before JUNE 1, 1917, at said office of UNION SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST COMPANY.

Envelopes containing offers should be plainly marked "Tender of OXFORD PAPER COMPANY bonds."

The right to reject any or all offers is reserved.

UNION SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST COMPANY, Trustee under mortgage Oxford Paper Company.
By GEORGE F. CARY, Treasurer.

The Locomobile Company of America First Mortgage Ten Year Sinking Fund Six Per Cent. Gold Bonds.

Pursuant to Article VI. of the Mortgage, dated June 1, 1912, Bankers Trust Company, as Trustee thereunder, invites proposals for the sale to it of the First Mortgage Ten Year Sinking Fund Six Per Cent. Gold Bonds of the Locomobile Company of America, bearing coupons maturing subsequent to June 1st, 1917, at prices not exceeding 105 per cent. of the face value of the bonds. All proposals should be inclosed in sealed envelopes, which should be delivered to the Trustee not later than 12 o'clock noon on May 14th, when due notice will be given to the bondholders whose proposals may be accepted, and the Trustee, to the extent of funds then in its hands and available therefor, will, on June 1st, 1917, purchase the bonds so offered and accepted at the price and in the manner provided in the mortgage.

BANKERS TRUST COMPANY, Trustee,
By H. F. WILSON, Jr., Vice President.
Dated at New York, this 18th day of April, 1917.

ST. LOUIS, ROCKY MOUNTAIN & PACIFIC COMPANY.

Metropolitan Trust Company of the City of New York, Trustee under First Five Per Centum Fifty-Year Gold Mortgage of the St. Louis, Rocky Mountain & Pacific Company, dated July 1, 1905, and instrument supplemental thereto dated August 1, 1913, hereby invites proposals for sale to it for the Sinking Fund on May 18, 1917, of bonds secured thereby at a price not exceeding par and accrued interest to such an amount as shall not exceed the sum of Forty-four thousand seven hundred sixty-one and 50-100 Dollars, ($44,761.50.)

METROPOLITAN TRUST COMPANY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, Trustee,
60 Wall Street, New York.
Dated New York, April 18, 1917.

TO THE HOLDERS OF PREFERRED STOCK OF HOLLY SUGAR CORPORATION:

Notice is hereby given that the amount of funds in the Sinking Fund of Holly Sugar Corporation is five hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars ($525,000.00), and that Holly Sugar Corporation will use and apply such funds on June 1, 1917, in the purchase of shares of preferred stock as provided in the Certificate of Incorporation and By-Laws of the Corporation, to such extent as the funds in the Sinking Fund may permit, AT THE LOWEST PRICES AT WHICH SUCH SHARES MAY BE OFFERED FOR SALE TO THE CORPORATION, but at a price not to exceed one hundred and ten dollars ($110.00) per share, and the amount of all unpaid and accrued dividends thereon.

Sealed offerings are hereby invited to be made to Holly Sugar Corporation at the office of its transfer agent, the Columbia Trust Company, 60 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, the City of New York, N. Y., within five days after the date of the last publication of this notice, to wit, on or before May 14, 1917.

Such offers shall state the number of shares offered for sale, and the price at which such shares are so offered, and shall be signed by the holders thereof.

COLUMBIA TRUST COMPANY,
Transfer Agent of Preferred Stock of Holly Sugar Corporation.
Dated New York, N. Y., May 1st, 1917.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

Detroit, Mich., April 25th, 1917.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF GENERAL MOTORS COMPANY:

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of General Motors Company will be held at the principal office of the Company, No. 15 Exchange Place, Jersey City, New Jersey, on Thursday, May 10th, 1917, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the following purposes:

To take action upon and with reference to the following resolutions adopted by a majority of the Board of Directors of General Motors Company at the meeting thereof lawfully held April 20th, 1917, as follows, to wit:

RESOLVED, That the Board of Directors of General Motors Company does hereby declare that it is advisable for the Company to decrease its capital stock by immediately retiring its Preferred capital stock at par and accrued dividends to August 1, 1917; and to amend Article Fourth of the Certificate of Incorporation to read as follows:

Fourth—The total authorized capital stock of the Corporation is Forty Million Dollars, ($40,000,000,) divided into Four Hundred Thousand (400,000) shares of the par value of One Hundred Dollars ($100) each, which shall be Common Stock.

From time to time the capital stock of the Company may be increased or decreased according to law, and may be issued in such amounts and proportions as shall be determined by the Board of Directors and as may be permitted by law.

And further

RESOLVED, That a special meeting of the stockholders of General Motors Company, to take action thereon, be and it is hereby called to be held at the principal office of the Company, No. 15 Exchange Place, Jersey City, New Jersey, on Thursday, the 10th day of May, A. D. 1917, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

The stock transfer books will be closed at the close of business on Friday, May 4th, 1917, and will be reopened at ten o'clock in the morning of Friday, May 11th, 1917.

By order of the Board of Directors.
T. S. MERRILL, Secretary.

Notice of Annual Meeting of Stockholders of Melchior, Armstrong & Dessau, Inc.

Please take notice that the annual meeting of the stockholders of Melchior, Armstrong & Dessau, Inc., for the purpose of electing Directors and Inspectors of election and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held on the 14th day of May, 1917, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the Company, No. 116 Broad Street, Borough of Manhattan, City, County, and State of New York.

Dated, March 19, 1917.
JULIUS LUNEBORG, Secretary.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

New York, May 1, 1917.

A special meeting of stockholders of WILFRED DEEGAN & CO., INC., will be held May 17, 1917, at 1 o'clock P. M. at the office of such Company, No. 32 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, for the purpose of voting upon a proposition to reduce its capital stock from $5,000, consisting of 50 shares of the par value of $100 each, to $1,000, to consist of 10 shares of the par value of $100 each.

RUDOLPH GERNDT, President.
THEODORE G. SATTLER, Secretary.

KITTANNING FACE BRICK CO., INC.

The Annual meeting of the stockholders of the Kittanning Face Brick Co., Inc., will be held at the New York Offices of the Company, 841 Broadway, New York City, on the 14th day of May, 1917, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year and the transaction of all such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

JOSEPH A. REILLY, Secretary.
Dated, New York, April 30th, 1917.

THE PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY COMPANY.

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 24, 1917.

NOTICE: The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railway Co. will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Pittsburgh, on Wednesday, May 16, 1917, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing three directors in the place of a like number whose terms expire on that day, and for the transaction of such other business as may be presented at the meeting.

R. M. COLEMAN, Secretary.

ESTABLISHED 1784
The Bank of New York
National Banking Association

New York, May 1, 1917.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held this day Mr. Frederick C. Metz, Jr., was appointed an Assistant Cashier.

JOSEPH ANDREWS, Cashier.

Cerro de Pasco Copper Corporation.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Cerro de Pasco Copper Corporation will be held at the office of the Company, No. 15 Broad Street, New York City, on Wednesday, May 9th, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year, and of transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

H. ESK MOLLER, Secretary.

BLACK, STARR AND FROST.

The annual meeting of the Shareholders of the Black, Starr and Frost Corporation, for the election of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before such meeting will be held at 594 Fifth Avenue, New York City, on Monday, May 14th, 1917, at 4 o'clock P. M.

A. V. FROST, Secretary.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The firm of Childs, Parr & Joseph is this day dissolved by mutual consent, and the business has been taken over and will be continued by Messrs. Childs and Joseph, who have assumed all the firm debts and obligations.

Dated, April 18, 1917.
HARRIS R. CHILDS,
WM. R. PARR,
HUGO S. JOSEPH.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE co-partnership existing between Ben I. Solomon and Geo. G. Solomon, doing business under the name of Boonton Silk Works, at 23 East 26th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, is dissolved by mutual consent. Dated New York, April 30. Continuing business at the same place.

GEO. G. SOLOMON.

THE FIRM OF W. E. DAVIS & CO., CONsisting of Edgar J. Thayer, Abraham J. Berg, and W. E. Davis, has been dissolved. Mr. W. E. Davis of 207 Essex Street, Boston, is in charge of the liquidation of the firm, and all claims may be presented to him, and all payments will be made by him.

W. E. DAVIS & CO., in Liquidation.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

NOEL, BERMAN & LANGLEY.

Certificate of the Formation of the Limited Partnership of Noel, Berman & Langley.

We, the undersigned, being desirous of forming a limited partnership, pursuant to the statutes of the State of New York, do hereby certify:

FIRST—The name or firm under which said partnership is to be conducted is NOEL, BERMAN & LANGLEY, and the principal place of business of said partnership is to be located in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City, County, and State of New York.

SECOND—The general nature of the business intended to be transacted by such partnership is that of buying and selling bonds, stocks and other securities on commission, and doing a general brokerage business in the City of New York.

THIRD—The names of all general and special partners, all of whom are of full age, and their respective places of residence are as follows:

Louis W. Noel, General Partner, who resides at 31 West 12th Street, in the City, County, and State of New York.

Pemberton Berman, General Partner, who resides at 50 Vanderbilt Avenue, in the City, County, and State of New York.

Clifford Langley, General Partner, who resides at 221 Blatchley Avenue, New Haven, Connecticut.

William F. Porter, Special Partner, who resides at Woodbridge, Connecticut.

FOURTH—The said William F. Porter has contributed the sum of Fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) in actual cash as capital to the common stock of said partnership.

FIFTH—The said partnership is to commence on the first day of May, 1917, and terminate on the thirty-first day of December, 1919.

Dated New York, N. Y., April 26, 1917.
LOUIS W. NOEL,
PEMBERTON BERMAN,
CLIFFORD LANGLEY,
WILLIAM F. PORTER.

State of New York, County of New York:

On this 26th day of April, 1917, before me personally appeared LOUIS W. NOEL, PEMBERTON BERMAN, CLIFFORD LANGLEY, and WILLIAM F. PORTER, to me known and known to me to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and they severally acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

THOMAS P. CONNOLLY,
Notary Public, Kings County, No. 255.
Certificate filed in New York County, No. 211. Kings County Register's No. 9087. New York County Register's No. 9229. Commission expires March 30th, 1919.

PRICE BROTHERS & CO., LIMITED.
Incorporated in Quebec.
ISSUE OF $6,000,000 5% FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS.

To the holders of the above Bonds:

In compliance with the terms of the Trust Deed, the Trustees for the Sinking Fund are about to apply the sum of $135,690 towards redemption of the above Bonds. The Trustees invite holders desirous of selling their Bonds to submit the price, inclusive of accrued interest from 1st May, 1917, at which they are disposed to sell, for delivery on or after 15th May, 1917. The Trustees do not undertake to accept the lowest or any tender or to purchase the whole or any part of Bonds offered.

Tenders of Bonds in response to this advertisement should be addressed to the Trustees Executors & Securities Insurance Corporation, Limited, Winchester House, London, E. C., or alternately to their Agents, Messrs. George A. Touche & Co., Lewis Building, 17 St. John Street, Montreal.

Dated, 1st May, 191[illegible]
For and on behalf
THE TRUSTEES EXECUTORS & SECURITIES INSURANCE CORPORATION, LIMITED.
H. R. BOYCE,
GILBERT TAYLOR, } Joint Secretaries.

Pocahontas Consolidated Collieries Company, Incorporated
FIFTY-YEAR FIVE PER CENT. GOLD BONDS.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the terms of the Mortgage dated July 1st, 1907, that the undersigned as Trustee will receive sealed proposals up to 3:00 P. M. on the 8th day of June, 1917, for the sale to it of bonds as above described, sufficient to use the sum of $30,108.25. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all tenders.

THE NEW YORK TRUST COMPANY, Trustee,
By H. W. MORSE, Secretary.
New York, May 1st, 1917.

DIVIDENDS.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.
THE CRESSON CONSOLIDATED GOLD MINING & MILLING CO.
Dividend No. 55.

Amount $122,000.00.
Total amount to date $4,831,162.50.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of ten (10) cents per share has been declared upon all outstanding stock of The Cresson Consolidated Gold Mining & Milling Co.

Payable May 10, 1917, to stockholders of record April 30, 1917.

By order of Board of Directors.
ADOLPH F. ZANG, Secretary.

Ludlow Manufacturing Associates,
111 Devonshire Street,
Boston, Mass.

DIVIDEND NO. 76.

A quarterly dividend of $1.50 per share has been declared payable on June 1, 1917, to shareholders of record May 1, 1917.

MALCOLM B. STONE, Treasurer.

DIVIDEND NO. 77.

A special dividend of $1.00 per share has been declared payable on June 1, 1917, to shareholders of record May 1, 1917.

MALCOLM B. STONE, Treasurer.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE American Cotton Oil Company, on May 1, 1917, declared a semi-annual dividend of three per cent. upon the Preferred Stock, and a quarterly dividend of one per cent. upon the Common Stock of the Company, both payable June 1, 1917, at the Banking House of Winslow, Lanier & Co., 59 Cedar Street, New York City, to holders of record of such stock at the close of business on May 15, 1917. The Stock Transfer Books of the Company will not be closed.

WILLIAM O. THOMPSON, Secretary.

April 25th 1917.

SUPERIOR STEEL CORPORATION

At the regular meeting of the Directors of the Superior Steel Corporation quarterly dividends of 2% were declared on both the first and second preferred stocks. The dividend is payable May 15, 1917, to stockholders of record May 1st, 1917.

C. H. FOSTER, Secretary.

ELECTRIC INVESTMENT CORPORATION

PREFERRED STOCK DIVIDEND.

May 1st, 1917.

The Board of Directors has today declared a dividend of one and three-quarters per cent. (1¾%) on the Preferred Stock of Electric Investment Corporation, payable May 22nd, 1917, to preferred stockholders of record at the close of business on May 12th, 1917.

E. W. FREEMAN, Treasurer.

126TH CASH DIVIDEND
Illinois Central Railroad Company.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a quarterly dividend of one and one-half per cent. (1½%) in cash, payable June 1, 1917, to holders of the Capital Stock of the Illinois Central Railroad Company as registered at the close of business, Friday, May 4th, 1917.

D. R. BURBANK, Secretary.
New York, April 10, 1917.

UNION AMERICAN CIGAR CO.
DIVIDEND NOTICE.

The Board of Directors has declared the regular quarterly Dividend of one per cent (1%) on the full shares of preferred stock, payable May 15th, 1917, to Stockholders of Record April 30th, 1917.

Transfer books will be closed May 1st to May 15th, inclusive.

N. D. LEAN, Treasurer.

PURE OIL COMPANY.

Philadelphia, April 30th, 1917.

The Directors of the Company have declared a dividend of 6% and an extra dividend of 4%, payable June 1st, 1917, on Common Stock of record May 15th, 1917. Checks will be mailed.

Transfer Books of the Company will be closed May 15th to June 1st, 1917, both dates inclusive.

N. H. WEBER, Treasurer.

PITTSBURGH STEEL COMPANY.

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 30th, 1917.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a cash dividend of One Dollar and Seventy-five Cents ($1.75) per share on the Preferred Stock of the Company, payable June 1st, 1917, to stockholders of record at the close of business May 15, 1917.

D. P. BENNETT, Treasurer.

The J. G. White Engineering Corp.,
ENGINEERS—CONTRACTORS,
43 Exchange Place, New York.

The regular quarterly dividend (17th quarter) of One and Three-Quarters per cent. (1¾%) has been declared on the Preferred Stock of this Corporation, payable June 1, 1917, to stockholders of record May 15, 1917.

A. N. CONNETT, Jr., Secretary.

THE B. F. GOODRICH COMPANY.

Akron, Ohio, April 25, 1917.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of this Company, held this day, a quarterly dividend of One Per Cent. (1%) on the Common Capital Stock of this Company was declared, payable August 15th, 1917, to Stockholders of record at the close of business August 3d, 1917.

L. D. BROWN, Treasurer.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, Navy Department, Washington, D. C., until 10 o'clock A. M. May 15, 1917, for laying tiling on ship and delivering corn brooms, clocks, coal, dry goods, electrical supplies, groceries and provisions, hardware, hospital supplies, rubber hose, pig and sheet lead, hydraulic leather, anchor lights, linoleum, metal lockers, wrapping paper, lead pipe, wire rope, steel castings, and zinc at the navy yard, Brooklyn, N. Y., etc. Apply for proposals to the supply officer, navy yard, Brooklyn, N. Y., or to the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts. SAMUEL McGOWAN, Paymaster General of the Navy. 4-27-17.

NO. 53.—PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING projectiles as follows: Common, 65,000 6-inch, 250,000 6-pounder, and 165,000 3-pounder; target—3,000 14-inch, 1,200 13-inch, 1,000 12-inch, 2,000 8-inch, 4,000 6-inch, 1,000,000 1-pounder, and 25,000 1-pounder anti-aircraft, will be received at the Navy Department, Bureau of Ordnance, until 12 o'clock noon, May 23, 1917, when they will be publicly opened. Forms of proposal and all information may be obtained from the Chief of the Bureau of Ordnance, Navy Department. RALPH EARLE, Chief of Bureau of Ordnance. 4-26-17.

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, Navy Department, Washington, D. C., until 10 o'clock A. M., May 8, 1917, for furnishing and installing cork insulation on vessels, and delivering tinned asparagus, box cars, air compressors, oak furniture, rubber air hose, lathes, pumps, and salt-water soap at the navy yard, Brooklyn, N. Y., etc. Apply for proposals to the supply officer, navy yard, Brooklyn, N. Y., or to the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts. SAMUEL McGOWAN, Paymaster General of the Navy. 4-20-17.

UNITED STATES ENGINEER OFFICE, Room 710, Army Building, 39 Whitehall Street, New York, N. Y.—Sealed proposals for constructing rubble mounds in front of breakwaters, Plattsburg Harbor, N. Y., and Burlington Harbor, Vt., will be received here until 12 M., May 3rd, 1917, and then opened. Further information on application.

PROPOSALS FOR WHARF CONSTRUCTION.—U. S. Engineer Office, Norfolk, Va.—Sealed proposals will be received here until 12 o'clock noon, May 7, 1917, and then opened, for the construction of a pile and timber wharf at Cape Henry, Va. Further information on application.

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SERVICE BOARD BILL PASSED BY SENATE

Thompson Measure Provides for Reorganization of Public Utilities Bodies.

FOR "BROAD" COURT REVIEW

$15,000 Commissioner to Control New York's New Subways—Assembly Vote Next.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 1.—Should the Assembly concur in the action of the Senate today on a bill introduced by Senator George F. Thompson of Niagara and Governor Whitman should approve the measure, the Public Service Commissions, as at present constituted, would go out of existence on June 30. The bill was drafted as a result of the investigation of the commissions by a legislative committee, of which Senator Thompson was the head.

The Thompson bill, besides providing for a general reorganization of the two commissions, contains a provision which would give to the Public Utilities Corporations the so-called "broad" court review for which they have been contending ever since the Public Service Commissions law was written on the statute books in 1907 in the first Administration of Governor Charles E. Hughes. Senator James A. Foley, who represents Tammany Leader Murphy's district in the upper house, offered an amendment eliminating this provision from the Thompson bill. The Foley amendment was defeated by a vote of 29 to 9. The bill then was passed, 30 to 14.

Under the provisions of the Thompson bill the Public Service Commissions would be divided into three divisions. One so-called Hearing Division would be composed of three Commissioners with $15,000 salary, whose sole function would be to conduct hearings and make decisions. There would be two regulatory divisions made up of three Commissioners, with salaries of $12,500 each, one for New York City and another for up-State.

The headquarters of the Hearing Division and the up-State regulatory division would be at the State Capitol, while the activities of public service corporations in New York would be supervised from headquarters in that city.

The provision of the bill that caused the greatest opposition was that for the "broad" court review involving questions of fact as well as of law. Under a recent decision of the Court of Appeals, construing the present law, the Public Service Commissions were held to have final jurisdiction on questions of fact. The Thompson bill undoes the effect of that decision.

The vote on the bill did not follow party lines. Senator Thompson said after the Senate had passed his bill that the "broad" court review had been written into the public service commissions law of practically every State of the Union, and was eminently fair. He asserted that the enactment of his bill would save the State some $300,000 a year in the cost of maintaining the commissions.

The power at present exercised by the New York City Commission of supervising the construction of new subways is taken away under the Thompson bill after the present work has been completed and turned over to a Rapid Transit Commissioner, with $15,000 salary, to be appointed by the Governor. This provision was assailed as a violation of the home rule principle.

Indict Oleomargarine Makers.

The Federal Grand Jury yesterday indicted Frank W. Tillinghast, Leonard L. Barber, and Sam A. Fenner, comprising the Vermont Manufacturing Company, on a charge of selling oleomargarine as pure butter. The defendants pleaded not guilty and were held in $5,000 bail each by Judge Cushman.

BANKRUPTCY SALES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of FOX MILLINERY SUPPLY CO., INC., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Wednesday, May 2, 1917, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 677 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of Ladies' Hats, Feathers, Flowers, Trimmings, Tables, Chairs, Desks, Partitions, Safe, etc.
MAX W. AMBERG, Receiver.
WILLIAMS, FOLSOM & STROUSE, Attorneys for Receiver, 55 John Street, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of MITCHEM CO., INC., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells Tuesday, May 15, 1917, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 115 Franklin Street, Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of Display and Sales System used in displaying and selling Ribbons, Laces, Embroideries, Silk and Cotton Fabrics, Cotton piece goods, Paper Tubes, Steel Bands, Tickets, Safe, Office furniture and fixtures, typewriter, etc.
WALTER L. BRYANT, Trustee.
HOWARD E. BROWN, Attorney for Trustee, 2 Rector Street, New York.
PETER B. OLNEY, Referee in Bankruptcy, 68 William Street, N. Y. C.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of N. A. PAUL CO., INC., Bankrupt.—Chas. Shongood, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York in bankruptcy, sells this day, Wednesday, May 2, 1917, by order of the Court, at 10:30 A. M., at 30 Church St., Terminal Bldg., Borough of Manhattan, assets of the above bankrupt, consisting of a very high class stock of Bannister's shoes, boots, pumps, riding boots, spats, etc., fixtures consisting of benches, chairs, desks, shelving, safe, etc. Also the Trustee's right, title and interest in and to the unexpired term of the lease of above premises.
MAURICE P. DAVIDSON, Trustee.
ALFRED YANKAUER, Attorney for Trustee, 261 Broadway, New York.
MACGRANE COXE, Referee in Bankruptcy, Woolworth Bldg., N. Y.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

NO. 24475.—U. S. DISTRICT COURT, SO. District N. Y.—In Bankruptcy.—ABE MELTZER, Bankrupt.
Creditors of said Abe Meltzer are hereby given notice that on April 25, 1917, he was duly adjudicated bankrupt. The first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, Room 1805, Woolworth Bldg., New York City, May 15, 1917, at 11 A. M. Creditors may prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may come before said meeting.
MACGRANE COXE,
May 2, 1917. Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—Bankruptcy 23316.
Notice is given that MANUEL GLASER, bankrupt, has applied for a discharge from all his debts. Creditors and parties interested are ordered to attend before this court in Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York, on Monday, June 4th, 1917, at 10:30 A. M., there to show cause why discharge should not be granted.
STANLEY W. DEXTER, Referee in Bankruptcy.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—Bankruptcy 24345.
Notice is given that MAX KAMERAS, bankrupt, has applied for a discharge from all his debts. Creditors and parties interested are ordered to attend before this court in Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York, on Monday, June 4th, 1917, at 10:30 A. M., there to show cause why discharge should not be granted.
STANLEY W. DEXTER, Referee in Bankruptcy.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHERN District of New York.—Bankruptcy.—No. 24263.
Notice is given that CHARLES M. FREEDMAN, bankrupt, has applied for a discharge from all his debts. Creditors and parties interested are ordered to attend before this court in Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York, on Monday, June 4th, 1917, at 10:30 A. M., there to show cause why discharge should not be granted.
MACGRANE COXE, Referee in Bankruptcy.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHERN District of New York.—Bankruptcy.—No. 23321.
Notice is given that ALFRED CHASSEAUD, bankrupt, has applied for a discharge from all his debts. Creditors and parties interested are ordered to attend before this court in Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York, on Monday, June 4th, 1917, at 10:30 A. M., there to show cause why discharge should not be granted.
MACGRANE COXE, Referee in Bankruptcy.

THE REAL ESTATE FIELD.

A choice corner on upper Washington Heights was sold yesterday, and although no indications were given of any radical improvement, it suggests a new apartment house operation in that desirable section of the city. The property sold was the northwest corner of Convent Avenue and 144th Street, including the two high-class four-story residences at 340 and 342 Convent Avenue. The former, being the immediate corner parcel, was the former home of J. Romaine Brown. It has a frontage of 24.11, and was sold for the recent owner, Alonzo McLaughlin. The adjoining house at 342, fronting 25 feet, was sold for Dr. E. Benjamin Ramsdell. The two plots have a combined frontage of 49.11 by 94.5 in depth.

L. J. Phillips & Co. were the brokers in the transaction.

Stewart Building Bought In for $3,000,000.

The sale of the well-known Stewart building on the easterly Broadway block front between Chambers and Reade Streets drew a large number of realty experts to the Vesey Street salesroom yesterday. Joseph P. Day was the auctioneer, but the property brought out no lively competition, and after three bids, starting at $2,000,000, the property was knocked down to the plaintiffs, the heirs of the late Judge Henry Hilton. It was sold at foreclosure under a mortgage judgment of about $3,840,000, against Felix Isman.

Mr. Isman contracted with the Hilton heirs for the purchase of the property in 1906. Title was to have passed the following year, but owing to an accident to Mr. Isman and the financial panic he did not get possession until 1908. The purchase money mortgage of $3,700,000 was to bear interest at 5½ per cent. for four years and 5 per cent. thereafter. Mr. Isman also secured a loan for $100,000 from Walter E. Hope.

The assessed value of the property is $3,210,000, of which $3,100,000 is land value.

Private Dwelling Sales.

Harris & Vaughan, Inc., sold to a client for the estate of Harrison P. Wallis 122 East Sixty-fourth Street, a three-story and basement dwelling, on a lot 20 by 100.5, Beekman leasehold.

The three-story dwelling at 114 West 124th Street has been sold by Albert E. Kelly for Morgan A. Stirling to William McKinley for occupancy.

A. S. Lamanna has purchased from Louis Arthur Ripley the four-story dwelling at 48 West Fifty-second Street, on a plot 20 by 100.5. The firm of Worthington Whitehouse was the broker.

Columbia Buys Leasehold Houses.

Columbia University was the buyer of the dwelling at 2 West Fiftieth Street, on Columbia leasehold, 25 by 100.5. A short time ago the trustees purchased the former Hoffman home at 620 Fifth Avenue, also on Columbia leasehold. The two properties will be improved for business.

110 Bids for Tenement.

One hundred and ten bids were made yesterday in the Vesey Street salesroom at the sale of the five-story tenement at 158 Stanton Street, offered at foreclosure by Samuel Marx. It was finally sold to Marx Kirschbaum for $25,350. This is said to be a record number of bids for a single auction offering in the Vesey Street room.

Tenement Investments.

The five-story flat at 110 East 116th Street, 25 by 100.11, has been purchased by the Nason Realty Company from the trustees of Hahnemann Hospital, which recently took it in foreclosure. D. Sylvan Crakow was the broker.

The four-story flat at 12 Beekman Place, near Fiftieth Street, 19 by 90, has been sold by Daniel Casey for Myer Vesell to John A. Hirschberg.

The five-story flat at 105 West Sixty-eighth Street, 20 by 100.5, adjoining the northwest corner of Columbus Avenue, has been purchased by John J. Hearn from James B. Cox.

Recent Buyers.

The Congregation B'nai Israel was the buyer of the plot 75 feet front on the south side of 149th Street, 100 feet west of Broadway, sold by Joseph P. Day for the estate of Isaac H. Clothier.

The Phelps Holding Company was the buyer of the property at 509 and 511 West Thirty-fourth Street.

The Irving Arms Real Estate Company was the buyer of the six-story apartment house at the southeast corner of Amsterdam Avenue and 166th Street.

Bronx Sales.

The four-story flat at 2,391 Grand Boulevard and Concourse, 50 by 78, near 184th Street, has been sold by Frederick Brown to I. Grossman. In exchange the buyer gave the four-story house at 247 West 139th Street, 32.4 by 100, between Seventh and Eighth Avenues. Lewis H. May & Co. were the brokers.

The three-story dwelling at 593 East 137th Street, 25 by 100, has been sold by the German Savings Bank to a client of Otto Boden.

Harkness Buys Sheepshead Motor Speedway for $1,300,000.

The Sheepshead Bay Motor Speedway was sold yesterday at auction by Joseph P. Day in the Brooklyn Real Estate Exchange, due to a foreclosure action by Harry S. Harkness against the Sheepshead Bay Speedway Corporation. It was struck down to Harry S. Harkness on a bid of $1,300,000. The indebtedness against the property amounted to $2,135,161.86, with interest from February.

Brooklyn.

B. J. Sforza sold for Charles Fox the two-family cottage with garage, 1,450 Sixtieth Street, on a plot 60 by 100.

Samuel Goldsticker has sold to Fred Wilt the plot 40 by 100 on the north side of Seventh Street, 280 feet west of Third Avenue. The property will be improved with a garage.

Joseph P. Day sold 560 Forty-fourth Street, a two-story dwelling, 20 by 100.2, scheduled to be sold by auction today. N. G. Gadone is the purchaser.

William J. Smith leased for Herman Hubsch the Prospecta Theatre 267 Ninth Avenue, near Seventeenth Street, Brooklyn, to John Rinari for a long term of years.

Long Island.

Daniel H. Jackson bought from the Rev. George W. Eccles the southwest corner of Larken and Beach Sixtieth Street, Arverne, L. I., one block from the ocean, a three-story residence on a plot 75 by 75. J. V. Graham was the broker in the transaction.

F. J. R. Garbe sold to G. Marino a plot 100 by 125 feet on the southwest corner of Broadway and Canal Street, Jamaica; George J. Schneller sold to D. Beebe a plot 80 by 100 feet on the northwest corner of State and Seventeenth Streets, Flushing, and 80 by 90 feet on the northeast corner of State and Seventeenth Streets.

New Jersey.

S. S. Walstrum-Gordon & Forman have sold for Mrs. Agnes I. Pattison her residence at 99 North Oak Street, Ridgewood, to Charles H. Merritt.

Westchester County.

Angell & Co. sold the Henry I. Muller house on Elm Road, Scarsdale, N. Y., to Seymour Blaisdell.

Griffen, Prince & Ripley sold for Melchoir S. Beltzhoover of Natchez, Miss., to John F. Havemeyer of Ardsley-on-Hudson, five acres of the Beltzhoover estate at Irvington. The property adjoins the Ardsley Club.

Woolworth's Fifth Avenue Lease.

The enlargement by F. W. Woolworth of his Fifth Avenue leasehold property for his new 10-cent store, by acquiring on a 21-year term the old building on the northeast corner of Fortieth Street, calls attention to the high leasing values of Fifth Avenue property in the heart of the retail section. For his corner property, fronting 26.7 by 95, owned by Frederick G. Hobbs and George L. Slawson, the lease for the first twenty-one years is close to $1,000,000, or nearly $48,000 a year, figuring over $1,700 a front foot. Store property for inside locations in that locality averages from $1,000 to $1,200 a front foot. For the entire plot acquired by Mr. Woolworth, fronting 92.7 on the avenue by about 122 feet deep, the aggergate rental for twenty-one years will be about $2,750,000, or $131,000 a year, which averages slightly over $1,400 a front foot.

Taking into consideration the extra depth, the regulation Fifth Avenue frontage would be about $1,200 a front foot. The site, as Edward J. Hogan, who made the deal, said, is a particularly choice one, being opposite the library and near the busy Forty-second Street transportation centre. A parcel of that size is hard to get in the business centre, and Fifth Avenue brokers do not consider the rental value excessive. In the building to be erected Mr. Woolworth will occupy all of the ground floor and basement, except the immediate corner store, renting the upper floors.

Commercial Leases.

Ruland & Whiting Company has leased the store at 201 Broadway for the One Hundred and Ninety-Five Broadway Corporation to the Golden Shoe Company, Inc.

Cross & Brown Company has leased the store at 1,142 Broadway to the Onondaga Trading Company, in conjunction with Samuel Geller.

George R. Read & Co. have leased for the estate of Charles F. Hoffman, in the Beaver Building, 82 Beaver Street, the rear banking office, formerly occupied by the Thames & Mersey Marine Insurance Company, to the Automobile Insurance Company of Hartford, for its marine department, the Aetna Insurance Company, and the Aetna Accident & Liability Company.

Sale of 128 Bronx Lots Today.

Bryan L. Kennelly will sell today, at absolute auction sale, in the Real Estate Exchange Salesroom, 14 Vesey Street, 128 lots located on University Heights, in the West Bronx. The lots immediately adjoin the University Heights Station of the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad and are located on Fordham Road, Sedgwick Avenue, Cedar Avenue, West 182d Street, Harlem River Terrace, and Hampden Place. The sale also includes lots on University Avenue and on Andrews Avenue.

Discussing the prospects of the sale yesterday Mr. Kennelly said: "This is one of the most important public offerings of Bronx property in recent years. One great point in favor of the land is its accessibility. It is just across the 207th Street bridge over the Harlem River, a few blocks from the 207th Street Station of the Broadway Subway. The Fordham Road Station of the Jerome Avenue Subway extension of the Lexington Avenue Subway, to be placed in operation on June 1, is also close at hand."

Loans Placed.

Charles F. Noyes Company has obtained for the Denison Realty Corporation through Goldsmith, Cohen, Cole & Weiss, from Joseph F. Cullman, a $15,000 mortgage for ten years on 166 Front Street, a five-story building, recently leased by the Noyes Company to Miranda & Co., for ten years, at an aggregate rental of $20,000.

Quinlan & Leland have placed the following loans, at 4½ per cent.: $36,000, on 51 East Seventy-second Street; $25,000, on 474 Columbus Avenue; $25,000, on 44 East Sixtieth Street; $22,000, on 218 West Seventy-second Street; $15,000, on 319 West Eighty-eighth Street, and $13,000, on 126 West Eighty-first Street.

Realty Notes.

The firm of Arnold, Byrne & Baumann will hereafter be known as Byrne & Baumann. The offices have been moved from 115 Broadway to 30 East Forty-second Street.

August Heckscher has obtained from the Dime Savings Bank a mortgage of $400,000 on the property at the southwest corner of Madison Avenue and Thirty-eighth Street, on which he has just erected a sixteen-story building.

Colonel Jacob Ruppert took title yesterday to the thirteen-story San Jose apartment house, 500 West End Avenue, northeast corner of Eighty-fourth Street, 102.2 by 133, recently purchased from the Paterno Investing Company. The transfer was subject to a $650,000 mortgage.

RESULTS AT AUCTION.

AT 14 VESEY STREET.

By Joseph P. Day.

Broadway, 280, e s, block front from Chambers to Reade St, 151x228.2x151.4x225.4, seven-story Stewart Building; property fee, excepting one Chambers St lot; due, $3,839,445.99; taxes, &c., $303,631.25; to the plaintiff for $3,000,000.

87th St, 323 West, s s, 285 ft w of West End Av, 20x100.8, three-story dwelling; Hebrew Orphan Asylum against M. D. Hill et al.; Hoadly, L. & J., attorneys; due, $16,922.05; taxes, &c., $502.60; to the plaintiff for $15,000.

2d Av, 2,070, e s, 75.9 ft n of 106th St, 25x75, four-story tenement and stores; Union Trust Co. against Jacob Michel et al.; Miller, K. L. & T., attorneys; due, $12,106.73; taxes, &c., $512; to the plaintiff for $7,000.

Broadway, s w corner 50th St, 50.8x127.10x irregular, three three-story automobile salesrooms; withdrawn.

29th St, 45-49 West, n s, 100 ft e of 6th Av, 50x98.9, three and four story business buildings; executors' sale; to E. B. Corey for a client for $81,000.

28th St, 137 and 139 East, n s, 80 ft e of Lexington Av, 45x98.9, two three-story houses; executors' sale, estate of Nellie M. Noe, deceased; to A. C. Bang for $52,400.

Amsterdam Av, n w corner of 212th St, 154.10x100; also adjoining plot 200x99.11 on 212th St, and abutting plot 155x99.11 on 215th St.; withdrawn.

Wooster St, 43 and 45, w s, 96.4 ft s of Broome St, 50x100, six-story loft building; voluntary sale; bid in at $52,500.

Mount Hope Av, 1,687, w s, 95 ft n of 173d St, 150x190 to Weeks Av x 50 x irregular, two-story frame dwelling and vacant; voluntary sale; knocked down at $30,000.

118th St, s s, 160 ft e of Madison Av, 50x100.11, vacant; trustee's sale, estate of John L. Chase, deceased; to Flynn P. Reed for $13,960.

241st St, 335 and 337 East, n s, 202.3 ft w of Martha Av, 50x100, two two-story frame dwellings; executor's sale, estate of F. S. and M. J. Smith, deceased; bid in at $5,900.

By Henry Brady.

33d St, 257 and 259 West, n s, 160 ft e of 8th Av, 40x98.9, vacant; A. L. Thorne and another against Lee Shubert et al.; W. S. Creevey, attorney; due, $42,630.90; taxes, &c., $3,599.50; to Meyer Klein for $45,900.

Bradhurst Av, 16, s e corner of 143d St, 25x67.11x irregular; five-story flat; Charles Wanninger against Alex. Rogers et al.; Reed & M., attorneys; due, $5,904.67; taxes, &c., $514.30; prior mtg, $14,000; to the plaintiff for $1,500 over prior liens.

Lexington Av, 1,501, s e corner of 97th St, 25.11x76, five-story flat; also 15th St, 338 and 340 East, s s, 196 ft w of 1st Av, 42x103.3, seven-story Stuyvesant apartments; Sheriff's sale of all right, title, interest, &c., which Clarence Realty and Construction Co. had on Feb. 13, 1917, or since; Albert Zimmerman, attorney; to the plaintiff for $60.

By Arthur C. Sheridan.

Attorney St, 31, w s, 100 ft n of Grand St, 25x100, five and four story front and rear tenements; F. L. Haug, exr., and another against Sarah Rosenberg et al.; Reeves & T., attorneys; due, $20,464.95; to the plaintiff for $15,000.

By M. Morgenthau, Jr., Co.

98th St, 139 West, n s, 425 ft e of Amsterdam Av, 24.9x100.11, five-story tenement; J. E. Cameron against J. A. Stewart and another, as exrs., et al.; Samuel Riker, Jr., attorney; due, $20,247.71; taxes, &c., $303.60; to the plaintiff for $19,000.

By Samuel Marx.

Stanton St, 158, n s, 75 ft e of Suffolk St, 25x100, five and four story front and rear tenements; George Ramsay and another, admrs., against Lena Weissberg et al.; Miller, K. & T., attorneys; due, $2,413.01; taxes, &c., $1,040.76; to Max Kirschbaum for $25,350.

AT 3,208 THIRD AVENUE.

By Joseph P. Day.

Minford Place, 1,465, w s, 31.6 ft s of 172d St, 31x70; four-story flat; G. W. Howell against Otto Lippmann et al.; Dulon & R., attorneys; due, $1,501.04; taxes, &c., $526.50; prior mtg, $13,000; to the plaintiff for $14,300.

THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Nelson Av, s s, 150 ft w of Macomb's Road, for a five-story brick tenement, 75x68.2; Macomb's-Nelson, Inc., Fred P. French, 299 Madison Av, President, owners; Fred F. French, 299 Madison Av, architect; cost, $60,000.

Ogden Av, e s, 550 ft n of 170th St, for a five-story brick tenement, 48.7x72.8; Wetboro Realty and Investment Co., E. Osborne Smith, 3 Burnside Av, President, owners; Edwin Wilbur, 562 West 164th St, architect; cost, $65,000.

Tyndall Av, w s, 375 ft s of 261st St, for a three-story brick dwelling, 31.2x29; Frank A. De Salvo, 487 Convent Av, owner; John G. Kleinhenz, 1,839 East 12th St, Brooklyn, architect; cost, $6,000.

Alterations.

Items under $5,000 omitted.

Broadway, s e corner of 44th St, to a fifteen-story hotel; Hotel Claridge Co., premises, owner; R. D. Blauvelt, 49 Wall St, architect; cost, $10,000.

99th St, 103 to 107 West, to a one-story theatre; Harburg Realty and Amusement Co., premises, owner; L. A. Sheinart, 194 Bowery, architect; cost, $6,000.

Walker Av, n e corner of Fink Av, to two two-story frame stores and dwellings, 27.3x50 and 27.3x34; William A. Mallitt, 2,554 St. Raymond's Av, owner; B. Ebeling, 2,400 Westchester Av, architect; cost, $5,000.

Avenue D, 127, to a five-story loft; Abner Mills estate, 381 East 8th St, owner; H. Regelman, 133 7th St, architect; cost, $5,000.

35th St, 65 West, to a three-story theatre; E. Margolies, 19 East 33d St, owner; H. J. Krapp, 116 East 16th St, architect; cost, $6,000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

TUESDAY, MAY 1.

With name and address of purchaser and attorney. When attorney's name is omitted address party of the second part.

Manhattan.

AMSTERDAM AV, s e corner of 166th St, 52.8x100; Morris H. Petigor to Irving Arms Real Estate Corporation, 52 Broadway, mtg $85,000, April 28; attorney, H. B. Davis, 52 Broadway.....$1

BEEKMAN PLACE, 12, w s, 57 ft s of 50th St, 19x90; Rosa Vesell to John A. Hirschberg and wife, 10 Beekman Place, mtg $7,000, all liens, April 23; attorneys, Arnstein & L., 128 Broadway.....$100

BROAD ST, 101-103, e s, 42.3 ft s of Pearl St, runs e 37.5x n 1.4x e 25.10x s 34.10x w 68.10 to street x n 34.9 to beginning; Lucerna M. McLaughlin and another to Sons of the Revolution, 99 Broad St, mtg $30,000, all liens, April 24; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$1

SAME PROPERTY; Nellie Lyon, widow of A. Maynard Lyon, to same, quitclaim, April 24; attorney, same.....$1

COLUMBUS AV, 376, s w corner of 78th St, 25.8x106.1; Altman-Wallach Co. to John A. Brown, Jr., Newtown Township, Delaware Co., Penn.; attorney, F. H. Comstock, 36 Wall St.....$1

FRONT ST, 240-242, —x—; Peck Slip, 29-33; Samuel Rowland, trustee, to Rebecca E. Forbes, 113 Willow St, Brooklyn, ¼ part, quitclaim, June 1, 1915; attorneys, Speir & Bartlett, 52 Wall St.....$1

GOERCK ST, 33, w s, 150.2 ft n of Broome St, 24.11x100; Barney Friedlander to Nathan Shapiro, 215 Chester St, Brooklyn, all title, b. and s., all liens, April 30; attorney, Paul Hellinger, 320 Broadway.....$1

LENOX AV, n e corner of Cathedral Parkway, 100x125; Juno Realty Corp. to Allied Investors' Realty Co., 120 Broadway, mtg $285,000, all liens, April 30; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 B'way.....$100

LEXINGTON AV, s e corner of 51st St, 50.5x100; Winifred Fletcher to Orinoco Realty Co., 119 West 40th St, mtg $65,000, April 23; attorneys, Stoddard & Mark, 128 Broadway.....$100

MADISON ST, n s, 250.8 ft w of Jackson St, 25.1x95.5; James J. Major to City of New York, April 28; attorney, Real Estate Bureau, Finance Dept.....$9,500

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, 146, e s, 25 ft s of 87th St, 23x100; County Holding Co. to John A. Harriss, 140 Riverside Drive, mtg $35,000, April 30; attorneys, Ferriss & S., 165 Broadway.....$100

WATER ST, 250, n s, 69.9 ft w of Peck Slip, 15.8x81.3x15.7x82.3; Frederick C. Petremont, Miami, Fla., to Hubert H. S. Aimes, Orange, Conn., life estate, all title, b. and s., c. a. g., all liens, April 19; attorney, James W. Monk, 906 Lafayette Av, Brooklyn.$800

WEST END AV, n e corner of 84th St, 102.2x133; Paterno Investing Corporation to Jacob Ruppert, 1,116 Park Av, mtg $650,000, b. & s., April 30; attorneys, Stoddard & M., 128 Broadway.....$100

WEST END AV, e s, 62.2 ft s of 85th St, 20x80; same to same, mtg $23,000, April 30; attorneys same.....$100

WILLIAM ST, 194, s e s, 17.4x76.7x17x74.3, s s; Beasy A. Gilroy to Ingraham Corporation, 192 Broadway, 1-5 part, mtg $12,000 on whole; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$100

3D ST, 47 West, n s, 42 ft w of Wooster St, 32.6x104.6; James Millot to Louis Olivero, 315 West 26th St, mtg $23,000, all liens, April 26; attorney, S. Stark, 299 Broadway.....$1

4TH ST, 166 East, s s, 175.4 ft w of Avenue A, 25x96.2; Ferd. Armbrust to George Ehrhard, 137 East 3d St, mtg $13,000, April 30; attorney, Cornelius Huth, 32 Nassau St.$100

5TH AV, n e corner of 64th St, 30.7x110; Louis T. Haggin, Closter, N. J., et al., exrs., &c., James B. Haggin, dec'd, and trustees James Ben Ali Haggin, to Margaret V. Haggin, 1 East 64th St, mtg $500,000, Jan. 18; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$1,000

6TH AV, w s, 83.7 ft s of 25th St, 19.10x100x20.3x100; 71st St, 16 West, s s, 225 ft w of Central Park West, 19x100.5; Marcus A. Myers et al., executors, to Marcus A. Myers, 16 West 71st St, April 30; attorneys, Thomas & Friedman, 2 Rector St.....$1

6TH AV, w s, 83.7 ft s of 25th St, 19.10x100x20.3x100; Rachel P. Hyman to Samuel L. Hyman, 58 West 70th St, ½ part, mtg $25,000, all liens, April 30; attorneys, Thomas & Friedman, 2 Rector St.....$1

16TH ST, 25 West, n s, 500 ft w of 5th Av, 25x92; County Holding Co. to William Lustgarten & Co., 68 William St, mtg $16,500, all liens, April 30; attorneys, Merrill, R. & I., 100 Broadway.....$100

20TH ST, 122 West, s s, 278.8 ft w of 6th Av, 25x92; Rebecca Levy to Mendel Schwartz, 561 West 163d St, all liens, May 1; attorneys, Morrison & S., 320 Broadway.....$100

28TH ST, s s, 150.6 ft e of 7th Av, 73.7x22.7x irregular; Lawyers Mortgage Co. to John J. Melcher, 5 East 51st St, b. and s., April 28; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$100

39TH ST, n s, 384.4 ft w of 2d Av, 19x98.9; Louise L. Kelly to Peter A. Juley, 166 Bayview Av, Jersey City, mtg $8,000, April 30; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway.....$1

45TH ST, s s, 30 ft e of 11th Av, 25.6x100.5; Katherine Hunke to Philip Schmidt, 534 West 45th St, mtg $11,000, all liens, 1-7 part, April 19; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway.....$1

SAME PROPERTY; Heinrich Schmidt to same, mtg $11,000, 1-7 part, all title, all liens, April 26; attorney same.....$1

SAME PROPERTY; Wilhelmina Schmidt, executrix, &c., to same, all liens, April 23; attorney same.....$1

SAME PROPERTY; same to same, mtg $11,000, 1-7 part, all liens, April 28; attorney same.....$1

SAME PROPERTY; Maude E. Russell to same, 1-7 part, mtg $11,000, all liens, April 18; attorney same.....$1

SAME PROPERTY; Frederick Schmidt to same, 1-7 part, mtg $11,000, April 28; attorney same.....$1

SAME PROPERTY; Carl Schmidt to same, 1-7 part, mtg $11,000, all title, all liens, April 24; attorney same.....$1

49TH ST, n s, 325 ft w of 6th Av, 25x100.4; John T. Fenlon to Pelmanor Realty Corporation, all liens, April 28.....$1

50TH ST, 421 East, n s, 195 ft e of 1st Av, 20x100.5; Jacob Strauss and another, executors, &c., to Simon Loeb, 421 East 50th St, ½ part, mtg $5,000, all title, April 26; attorney, Harold M. Greenebaum, 32 Broadway.....$2,500

55TH ST, n s, 150 ft w of 10th Av, 50x100; Robert W. Chanler to James H. McManus, 136 West 63d St, all liens, April 27; attorney, Albert W. Venino, 59 Wall St.....$100

68TH ST, n s, 80 ft w of Columbus Av, 20x100.5; Irene B. Cox to John J. Hearn, 411 Riverside Drive, mtg $18,000, April 30; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$100

SAME PROPERTY; John J. Hearn to John Mackey, 358 West 51st St, mtg $18,000, April 30; attorney, same.....$100

77TH ST, n s, 100 ft w of 1st Av, 25x104.4; 173d Street Realty Co. to Delco Holding Co., 370 East 149th St, mtg $8,000, all liens, April 30; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$1

80TH ST, 213 East, n s, 175 ft e of 3d Av, 25x102.2; 80th St, 215 East, n s, 200 ft e of 3d Av, 25x102.2; David A. Bernstein to Irving I. Kempner, 147 West 55th St, mtg $30,000, April 14; address, 37 Liberty St.....$100

83D ST, s s, 80.6 ft w of Avenue A, 26x102.2; Amelia Hildebrandt to George Green, 43 Main St, White Plains, N. Y., mtg $17,500, all liens; attorneys, Rabe & K., 258 Broadway.....$1

63D ST, 258 West, s s, 254 ft e of West End Av, 17x100.8; Thomas H. Watson to Charles J. Follmer, 312 Riverside Drive, mtg $14,000, all liens, April 30; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.$100

95TH ST, 137 West, n s, 364 ft w of Columbus Av, 18x100.8, foreclosure, April 17; Thomas W. Churchill, referee, to Maud E. Bostwick, Douglas Manor, Queens County, L. I., April 27; attorneys, Macdonald & Bostwick, 15 William St.....$14,000

96TH ST, 130 West, s s, 325 ft w of Columbus Av, 25x100.8, foreclosure April 12; Abr. Greenberg, referee, to John Corse, 129 West 94th St, April 30; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$26,125

107TH ST, 14-16 West, s s, 225 ft w of Central Park West, 60x100.11; 107th St, 18-20 West, s s, 285 ft w of Central Park West, 60x100.11; Allied Investors Realty Co. to Juno Realty Corp., 2 Lenox Av, mtg $141,500, April 30; attorneys, Kantrowitz & E., 320 Broadway.....$100

111TH ST, 125-135, n s, 229.4 ft w of St. Nicholas Av, 100.5x100.11, foreclosure of April 16, 1917; Frank T. Warburtin, referee, to Mabel G. Maynard, 385 Valley Road, West Orange, N. J., April 30; attorneys, Elsman, L., C. & L., 135 Broadway..$25,000

120TH ST, 22 East, s s, 266 ft e of 5th Av, 35x100.11; Evelena Dunning to Annie, wife of Samson Domb, 43 Orchard St, mtg $30,000, all liens, June 7, 1916; attorney, Fred. de P. Foster, 44 Wall St.....$100

121ST ST, 445 East, s s, 125 ft w of Pleasant Av, 25x100.10; Nettie Cohen to Samuel Epstein, 79 East 124th St, mtg $12,000, April 30; attorney, Benjamin Berger, 299 Broadway.....$1

121ST ST, 110 West, s s, 158 ft w of Lenox Av, 20x100.11; Rae V. Lesser to David Harris, 108 West 121st St, mtg $10,000, April 30; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway.....$100

123D ST, 433 East, n s, 341.3 ft e of 1st Av, 16.7x100.11; 104th St, 121 East, n s, 183.4 ft e of Park Av, 16.8x100.11; 121st St, 512 East, s s, 157 ft e of Pleasant Av, 17x80; Tiebout Av, 2,498, e s, 116.9 ft s of Kingsbridge Road, runs s 65.9x e 186.4x n 34.4x 102x w 97.6 to beginning; Jennie F. Avery et al. to Margaretha E. E., wife of Hy. C. Shumway, quitclaim, Sept. 4, 1901; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway.....$1

123D ST, n s, 199.6 ft e of 1st Av, 19x100.11; Farmers' Loan and Trust Co. to Martin B. Hofman, 161 West 36th St, b. and s., April 3; attorney, Gustav Leight, 27 Cedar St.$100

124TH ST, n s, 150 ft w of Amsterdam Av, 100.11x49.6x irregular; Andrew Wilson to Ferd. Johnson, West Englewood, N. J., April 30, mtg $51,500; address, 149 Broadway.....$57,500

127TH ST, 219 and 221 East, n s, 205 ft e of 3d Av, 50x99.11, foreclosure, April 13, 1917; Mark Goldberg, referee, to Wilton Holding Co., 135 Broadway, April 20; attorney, New York Title and Mortgage Co., 135 Broadway.....$12,000

138TH ST, 636 and 638 West, s s, 375 ft w of Broadway, 50x99.11, foreclosure April 16; Robert F. Wagner, referee, to William Cohn, 2 East 59th St, April 30; attorney, Sol A. Cohn, 302 Broadway.....$48,100

Bronx.

BOSTON ROAD, 1,103-5, w s, 77.8x100.1; Charles L. Hoffman, referee, to Bond and Mortgage Guarantee Co., 175 Remsen St, Brooklyn, April 16; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$13,100

BROADWAY, e s, 273.9 ft n of 234th St, 150x300.11x150.6x287.5; 177th Street & Pinehurst Avenue Realty Corporation to Manhattan Leasing Co., 149 Church St, mtg $20,000, April 30; attorneys, Wolf & K., 203 Broadway.....$100

CROSBY AV, e s, 353.5 ft s of Waterbury St, 25x101.4; Antonio Milazzo to Ignazio Milazzo, 213 1st Av, April 28; attorney, William A. Cokeley, 3,150 East Tremont Av.....$1

KELLY ST, 1,063 to 1,073, w s, 100x100; Daniel L. Korn to County Building Corporation, 370 East 149th St, mtg $22,065, April 30; attorney, Max Stern, 64 Wall St.....$100

LOTS 73 and 74, map W. F. Duncan; Saverio Agnelli to Nicoletta Agnelli, 281 East 151st St, April 30; attorneys, Clocke, K. & R., 391 East 149th St.....$1

LOTS 788 to 790 and part Lot 791, amended map, Section C, Vyse estate; Charles Helborn to Empire Liens Co., 217 Broadway, mtg $38,000, April 25; attorney, M. Greenbaum, 233 Broadway.....$100

LOT 322, map Sisters of Charity, 18x101.4x53.7x112.10, s s; Margt. T. Major and another, devisee to Antonio Milazzo, on Crosby Av, near Waterbury Av, April 25; attorney, Wm. A. Cokeley, 3,150 East Tremont Av..$1

LOT 38, map of partition of Lott G. Hunt estate; Edward F. Hussey to Charles F. Hussey, 55 Smith St, Jamaica, L. I., Nov. 24, 1914; attorney, Charles F. Hussey, 15 Carl St, Jamaica, L. I.....$1

LOTS 13 and 14 and 15, revised map Seneca Park; Anton Antosch to Ludwig Forstner, 645 Melrose Av, April 30; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.$100

LOTS 39 and 40, Block 69A, map of Morris Park; Esplanade Realty Co., Inc., to Frederick Muller, 850 Fairmount Place, April 28; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$1

LOT 51, map of Allen estate; Hudson P. Rose Co. to Carmine Tufaro, 296 Pleasant Av, April 28; attorney, Carmine Tufaro, 2,167 1st Av.....$1

LOT 37, map Coster Estate; Aquino Fonzo to Hudson P. Rose Co., 7 West 45th St, April 28; attorney, Hudson P. Rose Co., 7 West 45th St.....$1

MAGENTA ST, s w corner Rosewood Av, 50x100; Maria Gerbino, individually and as devisee, to Nicola Enfemia and another, 218 Bleecker St, April 27; attorney, John Santora, 42d St and Broadway, Times Bldg.$100

PARK AV, 4,457, w s, 19x90.2x19x89.6; Anna C. Stephens to Frederick C. McLaughlin, Ridgeway, White Plains, N. Y., April 20; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway.....$1

PARK AV, 4,457, w s, 19x90.2x19x89.6; Northern Importing Co. to Anna C. Stephens, 285 Central Park West, correction deed, mtg —, April 27; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway.....$1

PARK AV, 4,286, e s, 41.4x100; Frederick C. M. McLaughlin to Anna C. Stephans, 285 Central Park West, mtg $23,000, April 30; attorney, Thomas F. Keogh, 233 Broadway.....$1

PROSPECT AV, 974, e s, 38.1x114.10; Tieval Building Co., Inc., to Emma S. Meyer, 585 Union Av, and another, mtg $22,000, April 30; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$100

PROSPECT AV, w s, 94.10 ft s of 152d St, 25x100; Edward Propper to Sofie Propper, 643 Prospect Av, mtg $4,000, Nov. 20, 1916; attorney, E. Propper, 643 Prospect Av.....$1

VALENTINE AV, 2,180, e s, 20x118.6 to Tiebout Av, 20x118.9; Clarence H. Keenan to Henry F. Fitzell, 2,192 Valentine Av, mtg $7,000, April 26; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$1

VYSE AV, e s, 50 ft n of 172d St, 25x100; Theo. Stoetzel to Susanna Stoetzel, 1,526 Vyse Av, April 25; attorney, S. Sturtz, 198 Broadway.....$1

WEBSTER AV, 1,468 and 1,470, e s, 37.6x97.4 to w s of Mill Brook x37.6x95.7; Cornelius Sullivan, Jr., to German Hospital and Dispensary in City of New York, Park Av and 77th St, mtg $16,000, Feb. 19, 1915; attorney, E. M. Burghard, 111 Broadway.....$1

3D AV, 3,436 to 3,442, e s, 75x120x75x134.4; Charles L. Hoffman, referee, to Bond & Mtg. Guarantee Co., 175 Remsen St, Brooklyn, April 26; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$21,000

3D AV, 3,461, w s, 23.3x86.5x23.0x88.1; Henry J. Salzman to Paul Schade, 777 Madison Av, mtg $4,000, April 28; attorney, G. Frey, 3,429 3d Av.....$100

151ST, 281 East, n s, 25x117.3; Saverio Agnelli to Nicoletta Agnelli, 281 East 151st St, April 30; attorneys, Clocke, K. & R., 391 East 149th St.....$1

169TH ST, 916 East, 60x irregular, County Bldg. Corpn. to Daniel L. Korn, 170 West 74th St, mtg $38,500, May 1; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway.....$100

226TH ST, s s, being east one-half lot 946, map Wakefield, 50x114; Teodor Maliszewski to Stanislau Golankie, 650 East 226th St, mtg $1,200, April 30; attorney, S. W. Majewski, 2,726 Decatur Av.....$3,400

237TH ST, 220 East, s s, 45x100; Arthur R. Walsh as Comm., et al. to Karl Gutscher, 630 Morris Av, mtg $1,000, April 30; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$3,100

RECORDED MORTGAGES.

With name and address of lender and lender's attorney. Interest is at 5 per cent. unless otherwise specified.

Manhattan.

ATTORNEY ST, 151-153, w s, 250 ft s of Houston St, 50x100, ¼ part, a. t., April 30; Carrie E. Colyer to Hy. Wheeler, 363 Webster Av, Jersey City, N. J., due and interest as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$3,000

BROAD ST, s e corner of Pearl St, 42.4x55.2x irreg, April 24; Sons of the Revolution to Mutual Life Insurance Co., due and interest as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.$65,000

HENRY ST, 304, s s, 215.3 ft e of Scammel St, 24x95, April 27; Frieda Hart to London and Lancashire Indemnity Co. of America, 57 William St, deed recorded as mtg as per statement filed and mtg tax of $100 paid, prior mtg $16,000; attorneys, Gettner, S. & A., 299 Broadway.....$1

LENOX AV, n e corner of Cathedral Parkway, 100x125, April 30; Juno Realty Corp. to Beatrice Iram, 115 West 114th St, 7 years, 6 p. c., prior mtg., $210,000; attorneys, Kantrowitz & Esberg, 320 Broadway.....$25,000

MADISON AV, 1,724 to 1,728, w s, 50.11 ft s of 114th St, 50x100, April 7; Herzig-Ernst Realty Co. to Eastern District Savings Bank, 1,024 Gates Av, Brooklyn, 5 years; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway.....$30,000

MADISON AV, s w corner of 38th St, 98.9x95, May 1; August Heckscher to Union Dime Savings Bank, 701 6th Av, due and interest as per bond; attorneys, Butcher, T. & F., 1 Madison Av.....$400,000

2D AV, 1,338 and 1,340, e s, 25.3 ft s of 71st St, 50x74.1, April 30; Joseph Silberberg to Eastern District Savings Bank, 1,024 Gates Av, Brooklyn, 5 years; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway...$25,000

89TH ST, 70 West, s s, 100 ft e of Columbus Av, 20x100.8, April 30; Louis H. Abenheimer to Eastern District Savings Bank, 1,024 Gates Av, Brooklyn, 5 years; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway.....$12,000

3D ST, 60 East, s s, 22.0x101.5, April 16; Jay-Eff Realty Co. to Emanuel Sachs, 1,990 7th Av, et al., 3 years, interest as per bond; attorneys, Sachs Bros. & Jalkut, 40 to 46 West 20th St.....$3,000

4TH ST, 166 East, s s, 175.4 ft w of Av A, 25x96.2, April 30; George Ehrhard to Ferd. Arinbrust, 166 East 4th St, 3 years, 6 p. c., prior mtg. $13,000; attorneys, Wolf & K., 203 Broadway.....$2,000

5TH AV, 463-469, e s, 26.7 ft n of 40th St, 66x95, April 30; Elwood O. Roessle and wife to Nellie T. Roessle, 411 West End Av, and Marion L. R. McKinney, 391 State St, Albany, N. Y., due and interest as per bond; attorney, Lawyers' T. & T. Co., 160 Broadway.....$213,000

5TH AV, n e corner of 21st St, runs n 62.3x e 81x s 15.2x e 10.1x n 0¼x e 23.5x n e 24 and 33.11 to w s Broadway x s 65.4 to n s 21st St x w 195 to beginning, April 25; Estate of Bradish Johnson to U. S. Trust Co. of New York, 45 Wall St, due May 1, 1920, 4½ p c.; attorneys, Bowers & Sands, 46 Cedar St.....$500,000

28TH ST, s s, 150.6 ft e of 7th Av, 73.7x22.7x irreg, April 30; John S. Melcher to Lawyers' Mortgage Co., 59 Liberty St, due and interest as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$20,000

55TH ST, s s, 315 ft e of 6th Av, 20x100.5, May 1, 50 West 55th Street Realty Corporation to New York Trust Co., 26 Broad St, 3 years, 4½ p. c.; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway.....$40,000

56TH ST, 132-134 West, s s, 450 ft w of 6th Av, runs s 100.5x w 125x n 24.9x e 75.8x n 69.8 to 53th St x e 50 to beginning, April 30; Margaret Manning to Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway; due and interest as per bond.....$75,000

57TH ST, 120 E, s s, 138.6 ft w of Lexington Av, 16x100.5, Feb. 28; Cordelia G., wife of George C. Hammill, to Woodlawn Cemetery, 20 East 23d St, due March 20, 1920; attorney, Lawyers' T. & T. Co., 160 Broadway.....$24,000

98TH ST, 167 West, n s, 127.6 ft e of Amsterdam Av, 33x15x irregular, April 30; Emma Miller to Zelig Blechman and another, 57 East 107th St, due and mtg as per notes, prior mtg $5,000; attorney, Adolph Bangser, 55 Liberty St.....$1,000

107TH ST, 14-16 West, s s, 225 ft w of Central Park West, 60x100.11, prior mtg. $65,000; 107th St, 18-20 West, s s, 285 ft w of Central Park West, 60x100.11, prior mtg. $66,500, April 30; Allied Investors' Realty Co. to John B. Stanchfield, Islip, L. I., 5 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, Lawyers' T. & T. Co., 160 Broadway.....$10,000

112TH ST, 156 East, s s, 100 ft e of Lexington Av, 25x100.11, April 28; Raymond Scholz to Arthur J. Scholz, 931 Jefferson Av, Brooklyn, due May 1, 1920, 6 p. c., prior mtg $15,000; attorney, David B. Getz, 215 Montague St, Brooklyn.....$2,000

117TH ST, 313 West, n s, 225 ft w of 8th Av, 25x100.11, April 30; Claus H. Boschen to Eastern District Savings Bank, 1,024 Gates Av, Brooklyn, 3 years; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway...$13,000

123D ST, n s, 199.6 ft e of 1st Av, 19x100.11, April 3; Martin B. Hofman to Farmers' Loan and Trust Co., 22 William St, 1 year, interest as per bond; attorneys, Geller, R. & H., 22 Exchange Place.....$2,000

127TH ST, 219 and 221 East, n s, 205 and 230 ft e of 3d Av, 2 lots each, 25x99.11, 2 mtgs, each $6,000, April 30; Wilton Holding Co. to New York Title and Mortgage Co., 135 Broadway, 5 years.....$12,000

138TH ST, s s, 375 ft w of Broadway, 50x99.11, April 30; Wm. Cohn to V. Everit Macy, 37 West 56th St, and another, trustees, 3 years; attorneys, Gwinn & D., 5 Nassau St.....$39,000

Bronx.

BAINBRIDGE AV, s e corner of 201st St, 56.10x95.9x75.5x92.4; Bedford Park Congregational Church to Congregational Church Building Society, 287 4th Av, prior mtg $5,500, April 26, for church purposes; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$2,500

LOTS 13 to 15, revised map of Seneca Park; Ludwig Forstner to Anton Antosch, 690 3d Av, April 30, due Oct. 30, 1917; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$1,400

PROSPECT AV, 974, e s, 38x114.10; Emma S. Meyer and another to Tieval Building Co., Inc., 1,794 Prospect Av, prior mtg $22,000, April 30, due as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway.....$4,000

WASHINGTON AV, w s, 200 ft n of 179th St, 25x145; Olga Marx and another to Philipp Baum and another, 1,818 Mount Hope Place, prior mtg $5,000, April 28, 5 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, Walter E. McDonnell, 132 Nassau St.....$4,000

ZEREGA AV, 1,658, e s, 19x100; William F. Caesar, individually and executor, et al. to Louis Hausler and another, 734 St. Ann's Av, April 23, 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorneys, A. & H. Bloch, 99 Nassau St.....$1,700

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Manhattan.

AVENUE D, 158, store and part cellar; George W. Klute, attorney, to Mary Keenan, 800 East 11th St, 5 years from May 1, 1917; address, Berhennelmer & S., 128th St, and Amsterdam Av.....$1,020

LEXINGTON AV, 722, n w corner 58th St, store; Bernard Turkel to Joseph J. Kiernan, 118 West 101st St, and another, 6 years from May 1, 1917; attorneys, Hirsh & E., 15 William St.....$2,400

WASHINGTON SQUARE NORTH, 23, n s, 134.8 ft e of Macdougal St, 27.3x134.8; also Macdougal Alley, 27.9x132.10, all; Louis G. Hamersly to Max Shoop, 23 Washington Square North, 21 years from May 1, 1917, 21 years rental; address, 49 Wall St.; taxes, &c., and.....$1,800

5TH AV, 2,163, store floor and part cellar; Henry S. Van Demark to Diedrich Oetting, on premises, 5 years from May 1, 1917.$1,020

23D ST, 151-153 East, store and part basement; Frederick Meyer to James Kelley, 292 West 147th St, 10 years from May 1, 1915; address, 292 West 147th St.....$3,000

60TH ST, 28-34 East, s s, 178 ft e of Madison Av, 82x100, all, with hotel being erected; Dunnock Realty Co. to Mary E. Sniffen, 70 West 49th St, 21 years from Oct. 1, 1917; attorneys, D. Marvin Loughman & Co., 171 Madison Av.....$70,000

121ST ST, 227 East, w store floor and basement; Anna Odezet Peisach Halpern, 227 East 121st St, 5 years from May 1, 1916; attorney, M. Davidoff, 86 East 111th St.$240

MECHANICS' LIENS.

Manhattan.

LAWRENCE ST, 16 and 18; Kessler-Stevenson Corp. against S. Cushman Sons, Inc., owner; Andrew Brose, contractor.....$189

SAME PROPERTY; Kalt Lumber Co. against same.....$326

LAWRENCE ST, 14 and 16; Pietrowski & Konop, Inc., against S. Cushman Sons, Inc., owner; Andrew Brose, contractor.....$84

LAWRENCE ST, 16 and 18; M. F. Westergren, Inc., against S. Cushman Sons, Inc.; Andrew Brose, contractor.....$271

SAME PROPERTY; Lawrence Rukeyser against S. Cushman Sons, Inc., owner; Andrew Brose contractor.....$36

LAWRENCE ST, 16 and 18; Jacob Gleckner against S. Cushman Sons, Inc., owner; Andrew Brose, contractor.....$550

MORTON ST, 46; James & Kirtland against Celeste W. Herrick, owner and contractor.....$125

POST AV, s s, and Naegle Av, n s, 100 ft e of Dyckman St, 400x310; Isaac Antler against 302 Fifth Avenue Corp., owner; Harry & Joseph Falk, contractors.....$21,200

POST AV, s s, and Naegle Av, s s, 100 ft e of Dyckman St, 400x310; Cullo Marble and Tile Works, Inc., against 302 Fifth Avenue Corp., owner and contractor.....$2,547

110TH ST, 63 West; Samuel Aginsky against Juno Realty Corp., owner; Abraham Weinstein, contractor.....$1,235

Bronx.

WATERLOO PLACE, w s, 101.9 ft — of East 175th St, 20x75; David Schneiderman against Abraham Kaplan, owner and contractor.$135

WOODYCREST AV, 1,064-1,068; James McLaughlin Co. against Woodycrest Bldg. Corp., owners; McDermott & Hanigan, Inc., contractors.....$38

161ST ST, n s, 116 ft e of Melrose Av, 100x165; William A. Taylor against 837 Washington Avenue Realty Co., Inc., owners and contractors.....$325

SAME PROPERTY; George A. Knaus against same, owners and contractors.....$635

238TH ST, 135 East; Morris Flasterstein against Amalia A. King, owner and contractor.....$100

BUILDING LOAN CONTRACTS.

Manhattan.

5TH AV, n e corner of 21st St, 62.3x195x irregular; United States Trust Co. of New York loans Estate of Bradish Johnson, to erect a sixteen-story commercial building..$500,000

Bronx.

RANDALL AV, n w corner of Amundson Av, 25x100; East Chester Savings Bank loans Erick and Hannah Bergman, to erect — story building.....$4,000

170TH ST, n s, 122.8 ft w of Grand Boulevard and Concourse, 70x100; Lawyers Mortgage Co. loans 171st Street and Concourse Co., Inc., to erect one one-story office building.....$16,500

LIS PENDENS.

Manhattan.

BROADWAY, 1,435; Columbus Circle Construction Corporation against Zoe M. Deane et al., action to foreclose mechanics' liens; attorneys, May & Jacobson.

CANNON ST, w s, 175 ft n of Broome St, 25x100; Caroline Ray against Mollie Reichard et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorney, R. K. Brown.

56TH ST, 70 East; United States Savings Bank of the City of New York against Frederick S. Pinkus et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorneys, Merrill, Rogers & Terry.

98TH ST, n s, 379.6 ft e of Amsterdam Av, 18x33.2x irregular; John Simmons Co. against David F. Hanigan et al., action to set aside deed; attorney, C. H. Wilson.

105TH ST, s s, 200 ft e of 5th Av, 37.6x100.11; William H. Morgan against Morris Gordon et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorney, J. F. Stier.

126TH ST, 251 West; National Bank of Commerce in New York against Floyd S. Sanford et al., notice of levy; attorney, J. Quinn.

Bronx.

LOTS 72 and 73, map of property of Neill estate, 24th Ward; Sophia Halbe against Johanna Belsner et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorney, A. J. Appell.

LOT 97, map of Neil estate, 24th Ward; John Simmons Co. against David F. Hanigan et al., action to set aside deed; attorney, C. H. Wilson.

LOT 677, map of village of Wakefield; Christoph Helfrich against Alexander Rogers et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorney, M. E. Joffe.

160TH ST, s w corner of Park Av, 96.5x124.8; Bond and Mortgage Guarantee Co. against John V. Miller et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorney, H. Swain.

205TH ST, w s, 75.3 ft n of Hull Av, 25.1x81.5; Josephine Scheinin against Karneg M. Mugrdichian et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorney, F. E. Yung.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—In the matter of LESSER BROS., Alleged Bankrupts.
Sirs:
Please take notice that a hearing will be held at A Stated Term of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, at the Post Office Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, at 10:30 A. M. on the 7th day of May, 1917, on the bid of one Benjamin Smith, for the fixtures, machinery, and office furniture of the alleged bankrupts, for which he agrees to pay the sum of $1,000. At this hearing a motion will be made authorizing the Receiver to accept the aforesaid bid, and such further proceedings will be taken as may be just and proper.
Dated New York, May 1, 1917.
FRANCIS GILBERT, Esq., Receiver, 43 Exchange Place, New York City.
ROBERT P. LEVIS, Attorney for the Receiver, 42 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

NO. 24476.—U. S. DISTRICT COURT, SO. District N. Y.—In Bankruptcy.—VICTOR HUGO KOEHLER, individually and as a partner of the firm of KOEHLER, SPYR & FARRINGTON, and as a partner of the firm of KOEHLER & SPYR, Bankrupt.
Creditors of said Victor Hugo Koehler are hereby given notice that on April 25, 1917, he was duly adjudicated bankrupt. The first meeting of creditors will be held at my office, Room 1805, Woolworth Bldg., New York City, May 15, 1917, at 11:30 A. M. Creditors may prove claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may come before said meeting.
MACGRANE COXE,
May 2, 1917. Referee in Bankruptcy.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHERN District of New York.—Bankruptcy.—No. 24123.
Notice is given that MAXWELL COWEN, bankrupt, has applied for a discharge from all his debts. Creditors and parties interested are ordered to attend before this court in Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York, on Monday, June 4th, 1917, at 10:30 A. M., there to show cause why discharge should not be granted.
MACGRANE COXE, Referee in Bankruptcy.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHERN District of New York.—Bankruptcy No. 24244.
Notice is given that JOSEPH HARRIS, bankrupt, has applied for a discharge from all his debts. Creditors and parties interested are ordered to attend before this court in Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York, on Monday, June 4th, 1917, at 10:30 A. M., there to show cause why discharge should not be granted.
MACGRANE COXE, Referee in Bankruptcy.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHERN District of New York.—Bankruptcy No. 24304.
Notice is given that ISAAC SACHS, bankrupt, has applied for a discharge from all his debts. Creditors and parties interested are ordered to attend before this court in Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York, on June 4, 1917, at 10:30 A. M., there to show cause why discharge should not be granted.
WILLIAM H. WILLIS, Referee in Bankruptcy.
Dated New York, May 1, 1917.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, Southern District of New York.—Bankruptcy 23389.
Notice is given that JOHN M. STAHL, bankrupt, has applied for a discharge from all his debts. Creditors and parties interested are ordered to attend before this court in Post Office Building, Manhattan, New York, on Monday, June 4th, 1917, at 10:30 A. M., there to show cause why discharge should not be granted.
STANLEY W. DEXTER, Referee in Bankruptcy.

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"RESOLVED, That it is considered advisable and for the best interest of the company, and all the stockholders thereof, that the company wind up its business and affairs as speedily as possible and surrender its charter, and that the directors and proper officers of the company be, and they are hereby authorized and directed to take all such steps as may be necessary or proper to fully carry out the purposes of this resolution."
Dated April 20, 1917.
GEORGE C. VENARD, President of Agricultural Supply Company.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that The Bailey Stable Company, Inc., a domestic corporation, having its principal business office in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County, and State of New York, will apply to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term, Part I. thereof, to be held at the County Court House in the County of New York on the 14th day of May, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order authorizing said corporation to change its corporate name to the Bailey Stable and Garage Corporation.
Dated, New York City, April 23, 1917.
THE BAILEY STABLE COMPANY, INC., Petitioner.
By HARRY BAILEY, President.
WENDEL, ELLIOTT & ROBESON, Attorneys for Petitioner, 277 Broadway, Manhattan Borough, New York City.

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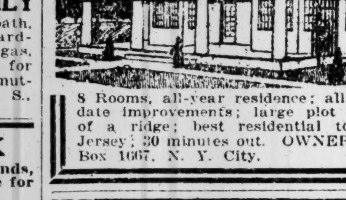

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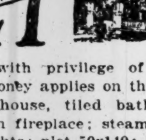

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West Side.

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YOUNG MAN, 20 years of age, competent bookkeeper, cashier, or statistician, desires position in growing concern where good work will be appreciated and warrant continued employment; best of references. O. H. Kerkman, 168 East 38th St.

YOUNG MAN, (25.)—Assistant to executive; nine years' experience; competent salesman; thoroughly conversant cost system, capable correspondent; good appearance; unquestionable credentials. J 98 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 25, refined, desires position offering future; experienced office worker, good figurer, knowledge of typewriting; best reference; salary $12. Leitner, 650 East 5th.

YOUNG man, 27, well educated, five years' South American experience, requires position any republic; fluent Spanish. B 461 Times Annex.

YOUNG MAN, 21, assistant bookkeeper, good at figures, can operate typewriter and dictaphone, desires clerical position. J 139 Times.

YOUNG MAN, 20, high school education, business experience, wishes position with advancement. N 290 Times Downtown.

YOUNG, active representative, commercial, banking, traveling experience, seeks substantial proposition. N 294 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 22; office work; fluent in French and German; has selling ability; good references. V 234 Times Downtown.

YOUNG man, 18, desires situation; knowledge bookkeeping, office experience; references. J 118 Times.

YOUNG MAN (21) seeks opportunity making himself generally useful, anything. V 237 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 18, high school graduate, knowledge bookkeeping, seeks position. J 121 Times.

HELP WANTED—Female.

ADDRESSED TO A YOUNG, AMBITIOUS ADVERTISING WOMAN.
She is now working in some advertising agency or on a newspaper and is looking for a permanent position with a future.
There is a place for her in the advertising department of a large New York house.
She must be accurate, systematic, and resourceful, good typist and able to write clear, forceful letters.
A good salary will be paid to young woman who can qualify.
Write business and advertising experience to Box 19, Madison Square Station.

AN OPENING FOR AN ADVERTISING SALESWOMAN.
Large lithographic house in New York offers splendid opportunity to young business woman with sales experience.
Knowledge of advertising and printing desirable.
Good address, poise, and ability to meet large buyers of lithography necessary.
The salary that this position will pay depends only upon ability to make good.
Initiative and resourcefulness essential.
Write full particulars of sales and advertising experience to Box 19, Madison Square Station.

BILL CLERK and TYPIST.—Unless thoroughly accurate and reliable do not apply. Write, stating age, salary desired, and experience. F 156 Times.

BILLING CLERK.—Elliott Fisher operator. Charles D. Jaffee, 902 Broadway.

BOOKKEEPER and TYPIST; must be experienced; salary $10-$12. Room 504, 1,790 Broadway.

BOOKKEEPER and stenographer, experienced, over 22; permanent position; will advance. Call 12 M. to 1 P. M., 1,791 B'way.

BOOKKEEPER and typist to take entire charge of office. 'Phone Chelsea 9030.

CLERKS, over 22 years of age, with office experience; high school graduates preferred; $10 to start. Apply in person to Mr. Brundage Rogers Peet Company, Broadway and 13th St.

COOK.—For summer, in Rye, N. Y.; two adults, four children in family; good references required. F. C. Farley, 135 East 66th.

COOK.—Young woman, white, as cook in employes' lunch room for girls; salary $10 to start. M 383 Times Downtown.

CORRESPONDENT FOR CREDIT DEPARTMENT OF WHOLESALE HOUSE; ABLE TO USE DICTAPHONE; STATE EXPERIENCE AND SALARY DESIRED. CAPABLE, V 242 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

COUPLE wanted for cottage near New York, to take full charge, including housekeeping, cooking, &c.; good wages. Apply between 2 and 5 P. M., 25 West 54th St, or after 8 P. M., 142 East 27th St., Apt. 17.

CREDIT and business experience to interview credit men on credit guide; salary and commission. Application must be in writing addressed to Z 314 Times Annex.

DICTAPHONE OPERATOR wanted with law office experience. N 319 Times Downtown.

FILING CLERK. — By large commission house. Reply in own handwriting, stating full particulars and salary desired. J 136 Times.

GIRL, about 16, in office of jewelry factory; one recently from school preferred; must be good penman and accurate at figures. Address U. X., N 318 Times Downtown.

HOUSEKEEPER wanted for cottage near New York; woman for housekeeping and cooking; good wages. Apply between 2 and 5 P. M., 25 West 54th St., or after 8 P. M., 142 East 27th St., Apt. 17.

HOUSEWORK.—Girl for general housework at Bronxville, near station, half hour from 42d St.; no washing; family three; good wages. Phone Apartment 70, Stuyvesant 1410, for city interview.

MAID.—Young person as useful maid to delicate lady; $25 month. Apt. 42, Manhattan Square Hotel, Columbus Av. and 77th St.

MOTHER'S HELPER.—Salary, $25 month and home; apply between 1 and 3. 326 West 90th.

NURSE, (FEMALE.)
Salary $900 to $1,080.
Age 21 to 45 years. Furnish proof of registration when filing applications. Subjects and weights: Experience, 3; duties, 4; practical test, 3. Applications received at Room 1400, Municipal Building, to May 8, at 4 P. M. Requested applications will be mailed on receipt of sufficient postage. For further particulars see "City Record" or apply to the Municipal Civil Service Commission, New York City.

OFFICE ASSISTANT, social and library work; intelligent, accurate; use Underwood. W 48 Times.

REFINED young lady help at counter, 10 to 3, cafeteria tea room. Jones, N 311 Times Downtown.

REPRESENTATIVES.—Committee of prominent people, first-class organization, requires several personal representatives for New York City to enroll members; applicants must be of highest character; commission basis; apply after 2 P. M., Photoplay League, 665 5th Av.

REPRESENTATIVES.—Women over 30, possessing more than ordinary tact, ability, to call on our list of mothers and explain successful charter building plans for children; salary. Room 711, 110 West 34th.

STENOGRAPHER who is thoroughly experienced in taking notes and rapid typist; knowledge of clerical work essential; moderate salary to start, with future advancement to the girl who proves capable. Write in full, stating experience, &c., F 164 Times.

STENOGRAPHER. — Correspondence, typing, record writing, association work; modern building, Times Square; 9 to 5; $15. Address, in own handwriting, J 130 Times.

STENOGRAPHER wanted as secretary to head of prominent 5th Av. firm, with knowledge of bookkeeping; state experience and salary wanted. B 465 Times Annex.

STENOGRAPHER.—Straight dictation work; Hudson Terminal location; $10 week to start; good opportunity for right girl. V 236 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER and office assistant; must be good at figures; ambitious girl; $10 to $12. H. Breger, 6th floor, 310 East 22d St.

STENOGRAPHER for 5th Av. real estate office; state experience and salary wanted. B 464 Times Annex.

SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR capable of handling 3 trunk lines and a number of extensions; knowledge of stenography and typewriting essential; future advancement assured to the girl with ability; state experience and full particulars. F 165 Times.

TEACHER to give private lessons in correct English pronunciation. N 298 Times Downtown.

HELP WANTED—Female.

TEACHER.—Wanted, an A1 experienced stenography instructor; must have good personality and be able to take charge of large classes. Address, with full particulars, Box F 163 Times.

TELEPHONE OPERATOR and office assistant; ambitious girl; good opportunity; $8 to $10. H. Breger, 6th floor, 310 East 22d St.

TYPEWRITERS.—Downtown bank requires services of young girls (20-24) for clerical work; knowledge of typewriting essential; must have at least two years' high school education and some business experience; only those with such qualifications need apply; answers must state age, experience, previous employment, references, and salary expected. V 244 Times Downtown.

TYPISTS, addressing and filling in; good plain lists, good conditions. Mitchell, 310 East 23d.

TYPIST, not necessarily a stenographer; beginner will do; $8; quick advancement. Room 512, 115 Broadway.

WOMAN OF ABILITY, EDUCATED, INTELLIGENT, TO DEVELOP MEN'S NECKWEAR WORK ROOM, WHOSE DUTY WILL BE TO SEE THAT GOODS ARE MADE BETTER THAN ORDINARY; PREVIOUS KNOWLEDGE OF THE BUSINESS UNNECESSARY, BUT MUST HAVE ADAPTABILITY AND ORIGINALITY. APPLY BLANCHARD & PRICE, 142 5TH AV.

WOMAN can easily make good salary by selling our goods on liberal commission basis. Address J 113 Times.

YOUNG WOMEN FOR CLERICAL POSITION IN WHOLESALE HOUSE; GOOD PENMEN AND FIGURERS; GIVE EXPECTATION AND REFERENCES. CLERIC, V 241 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

YOUNG, reliable women; real estate office uptown; state particulars, references, experience; short hours. Write L. V., 3,525 Broadway.

YOUNG LADY with experience in traffic matters. Apply M 387 Times Downtown.

Employment Agencies.

STENOGRAPHERS!
IMPORTERS, $20; ARCHITECTS, $20; LEGAL, $18; ELECTRICAL, $15; PUBLISHING, $12.
STENOGRAPHIC—BOOKKEEPERS!
REAL ESTATE, $18; MANUFACTURING, $18; REAL ESTATE, $18, AND A NUMBER AT $15.
BOOKKEEPERS!
BOOKBINDERS, $18; MOTOR CAR COMPANY, $18; RUBBER TIRES, $18; BANK, $18. EXCELLENT CHANCES AT A LITTLE LOWER SALARIES.
CLERKS OF ALL KINDS—BILLING, ENTRY, FILING, &C., FROM $8 TO $15.
CALL 9 TO 1, NATIONAL EMPLOYMENT EXCHANGE, 30 CHURCH ST., ROOM 725, N. Y. CITY.

AMERICAN EMPLOYMENT EXCHANGE, 115 Broadway, Room 512, CHAS. P. HASSON, Mgr., formerly manager Clerical Departments of National Employment Exchange. Applications accepted from high-grade Bookkeepers, Stenographers, Switchboard Operators, Typists, and Clerks.

EFFICIENT EMPLOYMENT EXCHANGE AGENCY, 10 East 43d.—Stenographers, (publicity and advertising,) $16; exporters, $12; publishing, $15; typist, $12; clerks, $9-$15. Miss Budenbender, Prop.

DICTAPHONE OPERATORS.—Several openings for beginners and experienced operators; $12 to $25. Bailey-O'Connor Agency, 103 Park Av., (41st St.,) Room 802. Tel. Murray Hill 4620.

RECEPTION LADY, $100 month; secretary, (school,) $800. Hopkins Agency, 507 5th Av.

Instruction.

THE U. S. SECRETARIAL SCHOOL, 542-544 Fifth Av., (45th St.)—The oldest and pre-eminently the most successful. Prepares for and obtains excellent secretarial positions. Favorite school for College and High School graduates. Day, Evening, and Correspondence Courses. Catalogue. Prof. Meagher, M. A., Director.

PRIVATE SECRETARY course, PRATT SCHOOL, 64 West 45th St. Registered by the Board of Regents of the University of the State of N. Y.; individual instruction. Reservations must be made in advance. References required. Summer sessions.

COMPLETE SECRETARIAL COURSE; also stenography, bookkeeping, penmanship, &c.; individual instruction by specialists, day or night; begin any time; graduates assisted to investigated situations; see catalogue. Walworth Institute, (Founded 1858.) Broadway, at 72d St.

THE NEW YORK SCHOOL OF SECRETARIES. Three months' course; individual instruction; students on probation; graduates registered. V. M. WHEAT, Director. Aeolian Hall, 35 West 42d St.

$10 this week only, day or night, pays for complete course in Stenography, Typewriting, Telegraphy; positions guaranteed. Est. 1884. Gaffey's School 25-27 West 34th St.

HELP WANTED—Male.

ACCOUNTANT, experienced on construction work, location Cuba; knowledge of Spanish language necessary; single man preferred; give detailed experience and references. Box V 247 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT.—Out-of-town C. P. A. desires experienced principal or junior; state age, experience, and salary expected. J 138 Times.

ACCOUNTANTS.—Firm certified public accountants requires experienced assistants of mature appearance; state age, experience, expectations, &c. N 297 Times Downtown.

ACCOUNTANT.—Experienced senior cost accountant by certified public accountant. M 378 Times Downtown.

BOYS WANTED.—Large insurance company has an opening for several clean-cut boys; excellent opportunity for advancement; no experience necessary; must be ambitious, of good address, quick to learn, and energetic. Address in own handwriting, stating age, nationality, education, experience, if any, M 343 Times Downtown.

BOYS FOR OFFICE AND SALESROOM OF WHOLESALE GROCERY HOUSE. ADDRESS OWN HANDWRITING, STATING AGE; WHOLESALE. V 243 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

BOY in law office; must be at least 16 years of age and reside with parents. Address in applicants' own handwriting, M 389 Times Downtown.

BOY, bright, wanted for office work; good chance for advancement. Apply Crucible Steel Co. of America, 420 Canal St.

BOY wanted for general office work, speaking English and Russian. V 235 Times Downtown.

BOY; $5 week; immediate advancement. Call morning, New York Bible Society, 66 Bible House.

BOY wanted by commission house for errands; 16 or 17 years of age. N 261 Times Downtown.

BOY in wholesale dry goods house; state age, experience, and salary wanted. N 291 Times Downtown.

BOY.—In manufacturer's office; boy living in Brooklyn. Write N 254 Times Downtown.

BOY.—General office work; $5.50. Room 907, 17 West 38th St.

CLERK, &c.—Young man, about 17 years of age, for clerk and office assistant; good education; state experience, if any, and salary expected. N 282 Times Downtown.

CLERK, Junior.—Young man, in large corporation; chance for advancement; state age and salary expected. Address P. O. Box 1,348.

CLOAK SALESMAN for Middle West; commission only. B. L., 132 Times.

COLLECTORS.—Three neat-appearing young men, preferably those who are thoroughly acquainted with streets in New York City and have had experience collecting on installment accounts; reasonable salary to start; good chance for advancement to hustlers; must furnish surety or realty bond and references. Call between 10 and 11 A. M. and 2 and 3 P. M., 3 West 29th St., Room 801.

COST CLERK.—Must understand pay roll and voucher records; a hustler with something in view; give age, salary, and reference. S. L., 187 Times, 42d St.

COUPLE wanted, white, no children, to go to country for Summer; man to wait on table and useful houseman, wife good cook or chambermaid; personal references required; wages $75. Call Thursday morning, 267 West 79th St., 10 to 12 o'clock.

COURT CLERK wanted, preferably admitted, with one or two years' actual experience in answering calendar, searching in County Clerk's office, &c.; salary $12. Reply by letter to N 265 Times Downtown.

CREDIT and business experience to interview credit men on Credit Guide; salary and commission. Application must be in writing addressed to Z 315 Times Annex.

DENTIST.—Registered in Pennsylvania; advertising office; must be experienced along this line; sober, honest, reliable; position permanent; this is an excellent opportunity for the man that can qualify; salary, $45 and commission weekly; in reply give full particulars. Address Z 311 Times Annex.

DESIGNER, CAPABLE AT DESIGNING MEN'S AND WOMEN'S SPORT, AUTOMOBILE, TRAVEL COATS AND DUSTERS. WRITE, STATING QUALIFICATIONS AND SALARY EXPECTED. M 380 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

DESIGNER.—Male or female, to make up a snappy line of boys' wash suits for a prominent concern. F 167 Times.

DRAFTSMEN and tool designers, first class men on automatic machinery. American Machine and Foundry Co., 56th St., bet. 1st and 2d Av., Brooklyn.

HELP WANTED—Male.

DRAFTSMEN.—Wanted, mechanical men for general layout of smelters, crushing plants, and mill buildings; also structural steel and reinforced concrete designers; above for large construction office in New York City; only first-class men, preferably with industrial plant experience, need apply; submit complete details, experience, and qualifications. M 340 Times Downtown.

DRAFTSMAN in general contractor's office, who understands detailing, &c.; state age, salary, experience and references, or application not considered. J 124 Times.

DRAFTSMAN, experienced pump, wanted for checking and detailing; location, Middle West; steady work, pleasant surroundings. T 224 Times Downtown.

EXPERIENCED LINOLEUM AND CARPET LAYER wanted; steady work with salary for good man; must have references. M. C. Frost & Co., White Plains, N. Y.

JAPANESE COOK and house servant. Apply between 9:30 and 10:30 A. M., A. F. Elliot, 66 Liberty St., city.

KEY PUNCH OPERATOR wanted by surety company, two experienced Hollerith key punch operators; state salary and experience. N 289 Times Downtown.

MACHINISTS, MOULDERS. All-round men, engine lathe, planer, boring mill, vise hands; steady work; no labor troubles; good wages. Apply Room 8, Barge Office, Battery Park, New York City.

MAN AND WIFE wanted, with no children, for farm on Long Island; one who understands general farming; reference. Address V 249 Times Downtown.

MARINE INSURANCE SOLICITOR.—I have knowledge of active prospects; want a solicitor on commission basis. N 313 Times Downtown.

OFFICE BOY.
Good opening for a bright, active young man, 16 years old and grammar school graduate; $6 to start. Apply by letter only in your own handwriting to Mr. Ferns, Rogers Peet Company, 842 Broadway.

OFFICE BOY; $6 START; BRIGHT, ENERGETIC AMERICAN; GOOD APPEARANCE AND EDUCATION; EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY. CALL WEDNESDAY, AT 9 A. M. OR 2:30 P. M., or WRITE ERICKSON CO., 381 4TH AV.

OFFICE BOY.—Wanted, in law office, junior office boy; good wages, with opportunity for advancement. Apply 62 Cedar St., fourth floor.

OFFICE BOY for downtown export house; apply in own handwriting; state salary desired. Barthold & Co., 4 Stone St.

OFFICE BOY, bright; good prospects. M 386 Times Downtown.

PHYSICIAN.—Have an opening in advertising office for physician registered in New York; position in western part of State; experience in this line not essential, but man must be of highest moral character, strictly sober, reliable in every way; give particulars regarding education, age, married or single, &c., in first letter. Address Z 312 Times Annex.

SALESMAN.
Large manufacturing company, marketing nationally advertised product, maintaining on the road an advertising crew consisting of ten young men who call directly on the housewives, desires the services of a man to take charge of this crew and travel with them; salary and expenses; must be at least 30 years old, single, willing to live away from home; previous experience in handling men necessary; must be a good disciplinarian and have a good education; men who are at present engaged and have been in the service of responsible houses for at least three years will be given preference; to secure attention applications must be made by mail, giving full details as to past employments, which will be treated confidentially. Z 319 Times.

SALESMAN WANTED
to work direct written inquiries exclusively; great number of leads requires immediate engagement of salesmen; training, transportation, and drawing account against commission; age limit, 25-45; men are earning $75-$150; sales were never so large as now; references necessary. Call at once Encyclopaedia Britannica, 120 West 32d St., N. Y.

SALESMAN WANTED.
A corporation of many years' standing, with expanding business, must have A1 salesman for Eastern territory; will give every possible co-operation, including drawing account, but demand good character, high-class appearance, and genuine salesmanship ability; state age, experience; advancement assured good men. V 173 Times.

SALESMAN.—Young man as specialty salesman for New York City territory; must be well educated, present a good appearance, and be willing to work hard; the position would be steady, and offers an attractive future with a well-established manufacturing corporation; small drawing account and liberal commission will be paid; men without selling experience will be considered; no attention will be paid to letters that do not state applicant's experience and qualifications fully. Address N 317 Times Downtown.

SALESMEN—TWO HIGH-GRADE MEN, good personality and appearance, to place special contracts; permanent connection; exclusive territory; thorough training; only those capable of earning $100 a week considered; men who have successfully sold insurance, correspondence courses or high-class books preferred; commission. Call Wednesday, 508 Woolworth Bldg.

SALESMAN, TRAVELING.
We illustrate and write the newspaper ads for merchants in the smaller towns throughout the United States; commission of $12 cash for each contract. Call Room 506, 74 Cortlandt St. Phone 6824 Cortlandt.

SALESMEN, (2,) above average calibre, not afflicted with "soft backbone" or "sluggish brain," possessing demonstration enthusiasm, initiative, and ability to follow instructions; can earn $400 monthly minimum on commissions; no advance seekers. Phone for appointment, Vanderbilt 4634.

SALESMAN. — OUTSIDE MAN TO TAKE ORDERS FOR CUSTOM SHIRTS AND HABERDASHERY; EXPERIENCED AND A1 REFERENCES REQUIRED; SALARY AND COMMISSION. FRANK BROS., 714 5TH AV.

SALESMEN.
Three specialty salesmen to sell to the trade; drawing account and commission; only experienced men need apply; first-class references required. Wellaphone Co., Suite 158, Metropolitan Tower.

SALESMEN.—Ford attachment and motor truck salesmen in Brooklyn and New York City; full line; liberal commission and drawing account. See Mr. Duerr, 1,078 Bedford Av., Brooklyn.

SALESMAN, experienced, wanted to handle a line of pile fabrics and cloth coats; could handle in conjunction with suit or dress line; must have good following; commission basis. H. O., 128 Times.

SALESMAN—Want high-class man to manage a sales campaign of territorial rights; salary; only a man with unquestionable ability and reputation need apply. M 385 Times Downtown.

SALESMAN, experienced for East, to handle a line of pile fabric and cloth coats; could handle in conjunction with suit or dress line; must have good following; commission basis. H 158 Times.

SALESMEN wanted to carry lines of carpets, rugs, linoleums, and housefurnishings for mill agency; splendid opportunity for live wires; drawing account and commissions; no others need apply. Room 1001, 225 5th Av.

SALESMEN, two closers, $50; service contract; select local territory; original selling plan; big commission. Sullivan-Ball, 120 West 32d St.

SALESMAN to represent the largest manufacturer of popular price middy blouses for the jobbing trade only; commission basis. Z 310 Times Annex.

SALESMAN (boys' clothing) with a following; we can give about 60 A1 accounts; commission only; only man capable of drawing $60 per week need apply. F 150 Times.

SALESMAN, active, with Ford car, to handle a wonderful, guaranteed side line, or full time; unlimited results; commission basis. Room 1204, U. S. Rubber Building.

SALESMEN having afternoons or hours unengaged; some knowledge of men's hats, retail, required; salary. Young's Hats, 605 Broadway.

SALESMAN.—Famous patent process for garment manufacturers; salary. Simplex, 100 5th Av.

SPECIALTY SALESMAN.
If you are earning less than $100 weekly
Phone Rector 5594 for appointment.
Commission basis.

STENOGRAPHER. — LONG, VALUABLE EXPERIENCE; CAPABLE TO ASSUME RESPONSIBILITIES; SALARY, $18. T 354 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

STENOGRAPHER and typist; young man; Remington machine. J. K. Krieg Co., 30 Warren St.

STOCK SALESMEN.
We want you if you are a producer and your record can stand investigation; commission. Write, with references. N 315 Times Downtown.

UPHOLSTERY ADVERTISING.
A man familiar with the upholstery and interior decorative trades to solicit advertising; this is an excellent opportunity for a high-class man; salary and commission. Write The Price Trade Publishing Co., 122-124 East 25th St.

TOOL AND DIE MAKERS.—Only first-class need apply, 34 35th St., Brooklyn, Bush Building No. 4, 5th floor, west end.

TYPISTS. — Addressing and filling in; good plain lists. J. T. H. Mitchell, 310 East 23d.

THE WEATHER

WASHINGTON, May 1.—The disturbance of Monday is now central over Western Ontario, with increased intesity, and general rains have fallen over the northern districts east of the Mississippi River, with some scattered snows in Michigan. Thunder showers also occurred in the South Atlantic States.

Pressure is also low in the extreme Southwest and West, and scattered rains and snows have fallen over the middle and northern districts west of the Rocky Mountains. Elsewhere in the West and in the Gulf States the weather was fair.

It is appreciably cooler in the lake region, the Ohio Valley, Tennessee, the East Gulf, and Atlantic States, and warmer in the Southwest. Elsewhere temperature changes were unimportant, with low temperature continuing in the Northwest and West.

Except for rain Wednesday in northern portions of New York and New England and probably on Thursday in Indiana and Kentucky, the weather will be fair Wednesday and Thursday in the lake region, the Ohio Valley, the East, and South, without temperature changes of consequence.

Winds for Wednesday and Thursday off the North Atlantic Coast will be fresh to strong, shifting Wednesday, becoming southwest and west; rain; Middle Atlantic Coast, moderate to fresh northwest; fair; South Atlantic Coast, moderate west and northwest; thunder showers Wednesday; fair Thursday.

FORECAST—TODAY AND THURSDAY.

Eastern New York—Partly cloudy south, rain north Wednesday. Thursday, fair.

Southern New England, New Jersey, and Eastern Pennsylvania—Partly cloudy Wednesday. Thursday, fair.

Western New York—Rain or snow Wednesday, somewhat colder east portion. Thursday, fair.

Northern New England—Fair Wednesday and Thursday.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at 11 P. M., taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1916.	1917.		1916.	1917.
3 A. M.	47	43	4 P. M.	58	46
6 A. M.	45	42	6 P. M.	58	44
9 A. M.	51	42	9 P. M.	62	40
12 M.	64	44	11 P. M.	61	41

This thermometer is 414 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 44; for the corresponding date last year it was 55; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 54.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 42; at 8 P. M. it was 41. Maximum temperature, 47 degrees at 3:10 P. M.; minimum, 40 degrees at 8:30 P. M. Humidity, 94 per cent. at 8 A. M.; 92 per cent. at 8 P. M.

The barometer at 8 A. M. yesterday registered 29.94 inches; at 8 P. M. it stood at 29.78 inches.

Fire Record.

A. M.	Loss.
12:15—250 W. 103 St.; Tribune Corp.	Slight
8:35—45 7 St.; Aaron Rothstein	Slight
10:10—279 St. Ann's Av.; B. Kaufman	Slight
11:50—733 E. 166 St.; Mrs. Harris	Slight
P. M.	
1:50—108 E. 83 St.; J. McNamara	Slight
2:10—86 1 St.; S. Somer	Slight
2:35—63 Pitt St.; M. Katz	Slight
3:10—272 Cherry St.; Max Goldman	Slight
3:30—200 E. 90 St.; Mary Corcoran	Slight
5:25—115 W. 104 St.; Ernest Szel	Slight
6:30—71 Amsterdam Av.; W. F. Keiser	Slight
7:20—31 E. 21 St.; Schwarzkopf & Salmore	Slight
8:10—12-14 W. 18 St.; Raymond Dress Co.	Slight
8:10—118-122 Baxter St.; Frank Hall & Son	None
11:30—39 5 Av.; Star Miller	Slight

HELP WANTED—Male.

TYPIST.—Young man, Remington machine. J. K. Krieg Co., 39 Warren St.

VINEGAR MAKER, experienced, wanted for spirit vinegar; must be able to show good results and have good references; steady work for good man; state wages, age, and former employment. Apply N. Schiffer, 1,262 Selkirk Av., Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada.

YOUNG MEN WANTED.
THE NEW YORK BRANCH OF ONE OF THE LARGEST INSURANCE COMPANIES INVITES APPLICATIONS FROM YOUNG MEN OF CHARACTER AND EARNESTNESS OF PURPOSE WHO NEED NOT HAVE HAD ANY BUSINESS EXPERIENCE, BUT WHO ARE WILLING TO START AT THE BOTTOM AND LEARN THE BUSINESS OF UNDERWRITING.
ADVANCEMENT WILL BE MADE AS MERITED. TO YOUNG MEN WHO WISH TO COMMENCE A CAREER RATHER THAN FIND A JOB AN EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY IS HERE PRESENTED.
STATE AGE, EDUCATION, EXPERIENCE, (IF ANY,) HEIGHT, WEIGHT, AND CHURCH ATTENDED.
UNDERWRITER, N 295 TIMES DOWNTOWN.

YOUNG MAN residing in New England States to obtain subscriptions in that territory for financial weekly of national reputation; an opportunity for aggressive young man; liberal commission. Z 320 Times Annex.

YOUNG MAN, 17-19 years of age, familiar with export shipping, wanted in cotton goods converting house; excellent opportunity for advancement; start $12-$14; state experience. M 390 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 17 years of age, at least two years of high school, to start in old downtown bank; liberal salary; good prospects. M 388 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MEN, 18-22 years, in packing department of wholesale house; $10 to start with advancement. Call 8:30 A. M., 7 Leonard St., New York City.

Employment Agencies.

AMERICAN EMPLOYMENT EXCHANGE, 115 Broadway, Room 512. CHAS. P. HASSON, Mgr., formerly Manager Clerical Departments of National Employment Exchange. Applications accepted from high grade Accountants, Bookkeepers, Stenographers, Collectors, and Clerks.

EFFICIENT EMPLOYMENT EXCHANGE, Agency, 10 East 43d.—Ledger clerks (bank), $20; bill clerk, $15; packers. Miss Budenbender, Prop.

STENOGRAPHERS! Bookkeepers! Clerks! Come, let us help you! Mighill (Agency), Flatiron Building.

Instruction.

THE NEW YORK SCHOOL OF SECRETARIES. Three months' course; individual instruction; students on probation; graduates registered. V. M. WHEAT, Director. Aeolian Hall, 35 West 42d St.

$10 this week only; day or night, pays for complete course in Stenography, Typewriting, Telegraphy; positions guaranteed. Est. 1884. Gaffey's School, 25-27 West 34th St.

LEARN TO BE A CHAUFFEUR.—Pleasant and profitable work; day and evening classes; send for free booklet and visitor's pass. West Side Y. M. C. A., 302 West 57th.

AGENTS WANTED.

SALESMEN wanted, handling non-conflicting line, to handle attractive line of skirts as a side line on a commission; satisfactory reference required; state territory. Address Z 318 Times Annex.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

FOR SALE.
AN EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY.
A well known Plate Sheet Metal and Structural Iron Manufacturing Plant, established over 35 years in one of the large Western cities.
Net Profits averaged approximately $50,000 per annum for the last five years per audit made by most reliable Certified Public Accountants.
This same average approximate net profits was earned for previous ten years.
Plant now running 100 per cent. full and over six months profitable orders booked.
Reason for selling, owners intend establishing a new business entirely foreign to present production. Address Z 282 Times Annex.

Active financially responsible party who can invest $10,000 in airplane business. Address Commercial Pioneers, N 308 Times Downtown.

Associate wanted with means, probity, and brains; positively unparalleled money-making business. Call forenoon, Edwards, 116 Centre St.

For Export.—Wanted, active man with additional capital; am manufacturing staple novelties for Latin American countries. J 137 Times.

Rooming house for sale, West 88th, near Central Park; rent $133, income $320; always rented. J 119 Times.

Maine man wants immediate cash investor; large proposition in Maine timber land. Address May 1st to 3d, F 105 Times.

$15,000 cash buys going manufacturing concern; large income; sacrifice. W 50 Times.

Business Notices.

PATENTS, trade-marks, copyrights; protect your ideas; four valuable books with list inventions wanted sent free. Phone Barclay 7394. Richard B. Owen, patent lawyer, 22d floor, Woolworth Bldg., or 165 Owen Bldg., Washington, D. C.

Police and Fire News.

Police Department.

Retired, (on their own applications:) Sergt. T. J. Riley, 26; Patrol. J. Mahoney, 5; E. Powers, 150; G. Seymour, Mar. Div., Subdiv. A. (On Police Surgeons' certificates:) Patrol. T. Coleman, 15; J. Sullivan, 33; J. Duffy, 66; W. S. Cochran, 68; M. J. Gordon, 170; J. McGuire, 173; P. J. Hunt, 274.

Transfers and assignments, 8 A. M., May 3, Patrol. J. J. Flynn, 6 to 7; J. F. Benner, 6 to 25; A. Beerman, 6 to 16; R. Leida, 6 to 86; M. M. McDonald, 7 to 43; H. Hageman, 7 to 164; J. Harnett, 16 to 39; W. I. Jackson, 22 to 31; J. G. Hamilton, 22 to 159; J. G. Hanson, 22 to 161; J. Ferretti, 28 to 5; D. B. Leahy, 25 to 161; F. B. Girvin, 26 to 31; G. A. Albrecht, 26 to 35; R. Schmidt, 26 to 85; J. O'Connell, 26 to 36; C. J. Browne, 26 to 23; E. Turro, 26 to 6; J. Grady, 26 to 38; N. Snydecker, 26 to 13; M. McGrath, 28 to 31; C. I. Tighe, 31 to 23; C. A. Culley, Jr., 32 to 28; W. C. Chubb, 32 to 143; J. Gross, 43 to 15; J. F. Farrell, 143 to 158; E. J. O'Brien, 143 to 158; R. Kohler, 143 to 154; J. H. Rooney, 143 to 155; W. J. Manning, 143 to 15; J. J. Corbett, 147 to 172; H. H. Callan, 147 to 144; E. T. Rowley, 149 to 165; W. Becker, 149 to 159; H. J. Feis, 149 to 163; G. M. Klub, 149 to 163; H. W. Puck, 146 to Traf. Div., Subdiv. C; J. J. Cosgrove, 159 to 162; M. S. Leahy, 165 to 159; J. F. Canavan, 172 to 23; C. Schultz, 172 to 159; P. Kenny, Traf. Div., Subdiv. C, to 29.

Prob. Patrol., from Training School to precincts indicated: C. F. Campbell, 5; J. R. Cunningham, 5; W. H. Greene, 5; L. W. Becker, 6; M. J. McNulty, 6; A. M. O'Conner, 6; F. B. Cannon, 7; R. A. Slattery, 7; E. P. McGuire, 15; P. O'Connor, 17; H. Hepner, 17; W. Courtney, 17; P. F. Quinn, 17; G. Froelich, 32; L. H. Mahoney, 22; W. A. Cavanagh, 26; R. E. Cronin, 26; W. G. Davis, 26; J. J. French, 26; J. Goldberg, 26; S. T. Knudsen, 26; F. L. Lauterborn, 26; J. J. Maloney, 26; F. G. Norman, 26; J. L. Murphy, 31; T. F. Mitchell, 32; H. Steinhardt, 23; H. Steinhardt, 35; J. C. Graham, Jr., 38; J. E. Koredy, 143; W. J. McMahon, 143; J. J. Murtha, 143; E. O'Dell, 143; W. N. Pitch, 143; M. F. Russell, 143; A. J. Schuessler, 143; J. J. Sheldrick, 143; M. Palladino, 143; J. H. Hickey, 144; A. S. O'Neill, 144; D. J. Pyne, 146; J. E. Rom, 147; J. McQueeney, 147; N. M. Hass, 149; W. Lutz, 149; D. D. Martoccia, 149; P. Monaghan, 149; A. Rasch, 149; O. L. Staber, 149; M. J. McKeon, 159; R. F. Faber, 159; A. A. Supanschitz, 159; W. H. Bischoff, Jr., 161; G. J. Erickson, 161; F. A. J. Graff, 161; D. Leff, 161; W. P. Laughlin, 161; D. Leibman, 162; S. McCarter, 163; W. H. McDonald, 163; D. Frankenberg, 172; Otto Schuler, 161; G. F. O'Connell, 161.

Temporary assignments: Sergt. J. J. Hines, 2, to 2 I. D., 30 days, 8 A. M., May 3; Patrol. O. T. Wanzer, 29, to 2 I. D., 30 days, 8 A. M., May 3; C. J. Westphal, 26, to Div. of Bridge Defense, 4 P. M., May 2.

To 1 I. D., from prects indicated, duty in raided premises, 30 days, from 4 P. M., May 2: A. Reydell, 2; D. Haggerty, 4; W. J. Verlin, 22; J. J. Bishop, 35; B. McLoughlin, 36; T. McCue, 42; O. Whitney, 42; J. A. Loughran, 68; L. Kessler, 69; D. Cronin 63; J. J. Hyland, 285; J. A. Waag, 285. From 8 A. M., May 4: J. Leahy, 26; I. O'Leary, 143.

Assignment discontinued: Patrol. G. Raeburn, 279, to Div. of Bridge Defense, (temp.) 4 P. M., May 2.

Leaves of absence, (without pay:) Patrol. C. Rose, 38, 1 day, 8 A. M., May 5.

Suspended, without pay: Patrol. P. A. Archard, 37.

Dismissed: Patrol. J. J. Post, (while off duty and in uniform failed to make an arrest; attempted to extrot money from a man.)

Fire Department.

The following will report to Engr. of Steamer T. S. Richards at the 12th Regt. Armory, Columbus Av. and 61st St., for practice, at 9:30 A. M. Thursday, May 3: J. T. Foote, Eng. 18; A. Hothersall, Eng. 31; R. Bornholz, Eng. 36; J. J. D'Azevedo, Eng. 56; C. W. Roe, Jr., Eng. 60; C. A. Widmer, Jr., Eng. 63; W. Klein, No. 1, Eng. 72; W. Clancy, Eng. 74; E. J. Donovan, Eng. 76; W. Holland, Eng. 76; E. A. Dammeyer, Eng. 92; H. G. Stein, Eng. 94; R. Lipschutz, Eng. 217; F. Ergenzinger, Eng. 237; W. F. Hickey, Eng. 249; F. M. Munn, Eng. 250; C. A. Spangenberg, Eng. 254; H. B. Escher, Eng. 262; A. G. Klein, Eng. 263; P. J. Metzger, Jr., Eng. 277; T. S. Richards, Eng. 282; E. A. Woolley, (2d Sec.,) Eng. 287; J. Kiernan, Eng. 286; A. T. Cole, Eng. 290; W. V. Werner, Eng. 291; P. G. Hettrich, Eng 295; H. Oltmann, H. & L. 28; J. J. Schoppmeyer, H. & L. 22; J. A. Unrath, H. & L. 26; A. J. Muir, H. & L. 34; T. T. McGrath, H. & L. 45; R. C. Fraser, H. & L. 80; G. J. Lachat, Jr., H. & L. 104; W. H. Breuer, H. & L. 112; T. H. Malkin, H. & L. 114; C. Charous, H. & L. 117; G. Olsen, H. & L. 124; N. J. Bruno, H. & L. 128; C. G. Brown, H. & L. 137; H. Brenner, H. & L. 140; J. Miller, No. 3, H. & L. 144; W. F. Gallagher, H. & L. 146; J. J. O'Keefe, H. & L. 147; J. A. Stack, H. & L. 148; J. Schifferdecker, Hose 5.

Devisions: Fire. 1st Gr. W. T. Hazrick, Eng. 278, absence without leave, guilty, and one leave withheld; Fire. 1st Gr. C. H. Colberg, Eng. 249, conduct prejudicial to the good reputation, order, and discipline of the dept., guilty, and three leaves withheld; Fire. 1st Gr. C. W. Roe, Jr., Eng. 60, neglect of duty, guilty, and three leaves withheld.

The resignation of Fire. 1st Gr. J. J. Marshall of H. & L. Co. 7 has been accepted, to take effect 8 A. M. May 6.

Special leave: Fire. 3d Gr. J. H. Ehlers, Eng. 204, 48 hours, 8 A. M. May 15.

The Civil Service.

City.

Applications for chief physician (psychiatrist) will be received until 4 P. M. on May 9. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; technical, 4, oral, 2. A qualifying physical examination will be given. The candidate must have a license to practice medicine in New York State and must be a qualified examiner in lunacy. He must have had at least one year of experience in charge of an important branch in a large hospital for the insane, involving the training and supervision of assistants in psychiatrical work, or the equivalent. Candidates must be at least 21 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of application. There is one vacancy in the Correction Department at $2,000 a year.

United States.

The commission announces an examination for expert radio aid, for men only. A vacancy in the Department of Steam Engineering, Navy Yard, Washington, D. C., at $8 per diem, and future vacancies requiring similar qualifications throughout the United States, will be filled from this examination. The appointee should be qualified to take complete charge of an advanced naval radio station, to make laboratory tests of all circuits, instruments, and apparatus pertaining to and used in radio signaling; the practical installation, repair, and adjustment of radio apparatus both in shore stations and on ships; the development and design of special apparatus and methods of radio signaling suited to special conditions, and of new forms of sending and receiving circuits; to analyse the data which may accrue from observations of the operation of different radio installations and to plan and execute experimental investigations as indicated; to inspect the various radio stations when called upon and to make the necessary measurements of their electrical constants; and, in general, to carry out advanced technical work in radio research, design, and development, and practical work in construction and repair of radio apparatus. He may be required to prepare technical reports of inspections, tests, and research work. Competitors will not be required to report for examination at any place, but will be rated on technical education, experience and fitness, and publications or report. Graduation from a four years' high school course, or four full years of study in a school offering a course equivalent to that of a high school, and not less than four years of experience in the manufacture, installation, or adjustment of radio apparatus, two years of which must have been in a responsible position requiring original design or research work, or direct supervision of radio manufacturing work, are prerequisites. A course of study including radio work or kindred sciences with the degree of Bachelor of Science from a school of recognized standing will be accepted in lieu of two years of experience. Applicants must have reached their twenty-fifth but not their forty-fifth birthday on the date of making oath to the application. Further information may be obtained from the commission, Washington, D. C.

Wills for Probate.

WOLF, WILLIAM, (April 25.)—He cuts off with $1 each his two sons, Joseph Wolf of 548 West 164th St., and Morris Wolf of 364 Front St., Chicopee, Mass., "on account of their unfilial conduct." He leaves all his estate to his sister, Fredricka Cohen of 606 West 113th St.; to his wife he leaves a dower interest in certain real estate, which amounts to more than $10,000.

FOR SALE

Big Bargains.—Slightly used office furniture, oak or mahogany; desks, chairs, files, tables, leather furniture, typewriters, adding machines, multigraphs, safes, &c. Nathan's, 452 Broadway.

BILLIARD AND POCKET TABLES. New and second-hand; low prices; easy payments. THE BRUNSWICK-BALKE-COLLENDER CO., 29 to 35 West 32d St., near B'way.

FOR SALE. Large safe for sale, in good condition, 58 inches high, 50 inches wide, 18 inches deep, inside measurements. Phone Mr. Stevens, Murray Hill 9322.

ELECTRIC VACUUM CLEANERS ALMOST GIVEN AWAY & GUARANTEED. LORD & CO., 1,285 BROADWAY.

For Sale—Large assortment of tennis rackets, in half dozen or dozen lots. Meiselman, 318 East 32d St. Phone 5495 Murray Hill.

Men's Credit Tailor.—Suits, raincoats, &c., $12; $1 down, $1 weekly. Hamilton-Martin Co., 171 Broadway, (enter, 5 Cortlandt St.)

Complete office outfit at sacrifice. Inquire Joseph Byrne, 23 West 42d St.

PURCHASE AND EXCHANGE.

Sale or Rent.—Modern up-to-date private residence, near Riverside Drive; all improvements; terms to suit. Apply through your broker, or Owner, 310 West 109th St.

The United Service.

Army.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Following 2d Lts. of Coast Artillery Corps relieved from duty at the Coast Artillery School, Fort Monroe, Va., and assigned to duty in Coast Defense command indicated: A. M. Pendleton, Portland, and H. L. Whittaker, Portland; H. S. Thomas, Portsmouth; E. C. Mead and J. D. MacMullen, Boston; J. B. Martin, New Bedford; D. M. Cole; F. A. Hause, and R. E. Turley, Jr., Narragansett Bay; J. C. Harding and R. S. Barr, Eastern New York; F. W. Smith, H. B. Holmes, Jr., C. J. Herzer, and W. M. Cravens, Southern New York; E. H. Underwood, the Delaware; F. J. Atwood, the Potomac; G. R. Butz, Chesapeake Bay; F. G. French, Baltimore; S. A. Hamilton, Chesapeake Bay; E. Nash, Jr., Cape Fear; M. Goodman, Charleston; R. E. Phillips and C. J. Smith, Savannah; V. B. Dixon, Key West; G. De L. Carrington, Tampa; D. MacA. Barr and C. D. Y. Ostrom, Pensacola; P. H. French, Mobile; C. W. Bundy and L. V. Jefferis, New Orleans; W. S. Phillips, Galveston; J. L. Hatcher, San Diego; W. R. Stewart, Los Angeles; E. E. MacMorland, San Francisco; C. C. Terry, San Francisco; J. Q. Rood, Columbia River; W. T. Roberts, J. W. Barker, G. W. Davidson, L. R. Lohr, and S. E. Wolfe, Puget Sound; O. C. Stevens, L. S. Hutson, H. F. Gill, E. A Murphy, and K S. Purdie, Balboa; D. D. Hinman, R. B. Webb, and J. E. Piccard, Cristobal.

Following officers of Corps of Engrs. will proceed to place specified for duty in officers' training camp: Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y.—Major J. M. McDonough, Capt. W. H. Sage, Jr., 1st Lts. D. O. Elliott and L. W. Miller; Madison Barracks, N. Y.—Major T. H. Jackson, Capt. E. H. Marks, and 1st Lieut. G. J. Richards; Fort Niagara, N. Y.—Major L. V. Frazier, Capt. F. S. Strong, Jr., and 1st Lieut. M. J. Young; Fort Myer, Va.—Lieut. Col. W. V. Judson, 1st Lieuts H. Brand, Jr., and J. F. Conklin; Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.—Major R. R. Ralston and 1st Lieut. W. A. Bethel; Fort McPherson, Ga.—Major L. Brown and 1st Lieut. J. S. Bragdon; Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.—Lieut. Col. G. M. Hoffman, Capt. A. K. B. Lyman, and 1st Lieut. A. P. Cronkhite; Fort Sheridan, Ill.—Major L. M. Adams, Capt. O. N. Solbert, and 1st Lieut. D. A. Davison; Fort Logan S. Roots, Ark.—Capt. R. S. Thomas and 1st Lieut. A. L. Genahl; Fort Snelling, Minn.—Major R. C. Moore and 1st Lieut. J. E. Harris; Fort Riley, Kan.—Major H. H. Robert and Capt. J. G. Steese; Leon Springs, Texas—Capt. H. S. Hetrick; the Presidio of San Francisco, Cal.—Major G. B. Pillsbury and 1st Lieut. D. H. Gillette.

Major Adams and Capts. Steese and Lyman will proceed via Chicago, Ill., for conference with the Engineer of the Central Department.

Following officers of the M. C. will proceed to places named for duty at officers' training camps: Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y.—Majs. C. E. Koerper and M. A. Delaney. Madison Barracks, N. Y.—Lt. Col. W. P. Chamberlain and Maj. C. E. Marrow. Ft. Niagara, N. Y.—Majs. G. M. Ekwurzel and G. McD. Vanpoole. Ft. Myer, Va.—Majs. P. M. Ashburn and R. U. Patterson. Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga.—Lt. Cols. T. J. Kirkpatrick and E. R. Schreiner. Ft. McPherson, Ga.—Lt. Col. T. S. Bratton and Maj. C. C. Collins. Ft. Benj. Harrison, Ind.—Majs. H. L. Gilchrist, Ernest L. Ruffner, and J. W. Grissinger. Ft. Sheridan, Ill.—Majs. W. N. Bispham, P. L. Boyer, and J. M. Phalen. Ft. Logan S. Roots, Ark.—Lt. Cols. R. F. Lewis and J. B. Clayton. Ft. Snelling, Minn.—Majs. H. S. Greenleaf and J. L. Bevans. Ft. Riley, Kan.—Lt. Cols. P. F. Straub and W. W. Reno. Leon Springs, Texas—Majs. J. H. Ford and W. F. Truby. Presidio of San Francisco, Cal.—Majs. E. A. Dean and P. C. Field.

Maj. J. D. Fife, Med. Corps, and Capt. C. C. Kinney, 9th Inf., detailed members of Examining Board at Ft. Sam Houston, Tex., appointed in orders Dec. 12, vice Maj. H. D. Thomason, M. C., and Capt. J. Blyth, 37th Inf., relieved.

Capt. E. J. W. Bagsdale, Ord. Dept., will make one visit to Ft. Monroe, Va., pertaining to operations of Ord. Dept., thence returning proper station via New York.

Following retired officers assigned active duty at post specified: Majs. G. J. Newgarden, Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga.; R. S. Woodson, Ft. Douglas, Utah, and Capt. G. D. Heath, Jr., Ft. McPherson, Ga.

Capt. W. V. Cotchett, retired, assigned to active duty and will proceed to Ft. Douglas, Utah.

Capt. T. M. Reagan, retired, assigned active duty and will proceed Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga.

Capt. P. Yost, retired, assigned active duty and will proceed to Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga.

1st Lt. J. Bennett, Philippine Scouts, retired, assigned active duty, and will proceed to Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga.

Maj. S. C. Vestal, (C. A. C.,) Q. C., detailed a member of Examining Board appointed in orders April 17, at Ft. Monroe Va., to examine officers for transfer to C. A. C., vice Col. H. D. Todd, Jr., C. A. C., detached list.

Capt. O. Schwarzkopf, veterinarian, relieved duty with 3d Cav., and will proceed to St. Louis, Mo., for duty with Medical Supply Depot.

Capt. C. G. Edgar, Quartermaster Officers' Reserve Corps, assigned to active duty, and will report to Chief Sig. officer for duty in his office.

Lt. Col. A. W. Chase, C. A. C., will report to Brig. Gen. A. L. Smith, Q. M. C., President of an army retiring board at Washington, for examination.

Capt. P. H. Clark, Q. M. C., relieved duty in the Philippine Dept. and upon expiration of leave of absence, will report to Depot Quartermaster, Chicago, Ill., for duty as his assistant.

1st Lt. L. Felker, retired, assigned active duty and will report in person to Commandant War Prison Barracks, Ft. Douglas, Utah, for duty.

A board of officers to consist of Capt. R. S. Brown, Junior Military Aviator, Sig. Corps, and 1st Lt. G. W. Woodnick, Medical Officers' Reserve Corps, is appointed to meet at Chicago, Ill., to examine applicants for appointment as officers in Aviation Sec., Signal Officers' Reserve Corps. 1st Lt. Woodnick, upon completion of this duty, will stand relieved from further active duty.

Capt V. E. Clark, Junior Military Aviator, Sig. Corps, will make not exceeding three visits to Hampton, Va., on business pertaining to aeronautics, and upon completion of duty will return proper station after each visit.

Following transfers ordered: Capt. R. W. Walker, 9th Cav., to 15th Cav.; Capt. H. W. Baird, 15th Cav., to 9th Cav.

Orders April 11, relating to 1st Lt. L. Eloesser, M. R. C., revoked.

1st Lt. G. O. Duncan, retired, assigned to active duty, and will proceed to Ft. Douglas, Utah, reporting to Commandant, War Prison Barracks for duty.

Following Lt. Cols. of M. C., to Governors Island, N. Y., at once, report to Commanding General, Eastern Dept, for duty at officers' training camps in New England: E. P. Reynolds and H. Page.

Leaves: Capt. La R. Bartlett, C. A. C., 1 month and 20 days, and Capt. P. B. Peyton, Inf., one month.

Education Notes.

Applications are being received from eligible persons for nomination for the Principalship of the Julia Richman High School, made vacant by the recent appointment of Arthur M. Wolfson as Principal of the High School of Commerce.

Barnet Schapiro, head of the physical training department of the Evander Childs High School and First Lieutenant in the Reserve Corps of the United States Army, will leave school this week to go to Plattsburg.

The Mothers' Council of the Public Schools will hold a meeting at 2 P. M. on May 8 in the music hall over the main waiting room of the Grand Central Terminal.

The New York section of the Association of Teachers of Mathematics in the Middle States and Maryland will hold a meeting at 8 P. M. on May 11 in Hunter College. There will be an election of officers. Professor Elizabeth B. Cowley of Vassar College will make a report on logarithm tables. James H. Shipley of the High School of Commerce will report on examinations, and J. Malcolm Bird, associate editor of The Scientific American, will speak on "The Mathematics of Warfare."

More than 2,000 volunteers from high schools will be sent to farms throughout the State.

A mothers' club for P. S. 28, Brooklyn, has been organized, with Miss Frances J. Connell, a former teacher in the school, as President.

William E. Grady, Principal of P. S. 64, Manhattan, has been assigned as Principal at large to assist Associate City Superintendent Ettinger in charge of vocational work.

There will be special exercises in the public schools on June 14 to celebrate the one hundred and fortieth anniversary of the adoption of our national flag.

A special meeting of the Board of Education will be held today to make preliminary arrangements for the election of the teacher representatives to the Board of Retirement in anticipation of the Governor signing the Public School Teachers' Pension bill.

A brief drawn up by Reuben Hillman of the High School Clerical Assistants' Association will be presented to the school authorities in substantiation of the resolutions recently presented by the association for a more equitable salary schedule. The clerical assistants in general are working with a will in support of the association. The next meeting will be held within a month and will probably take the form of a dinner.

Estates Appraised.

SPELLMAN, EMANUEL L., (Jan. 16, 1917.) Net estate, $221,341. Twelve relatives each received $500; two grandchildren, $5,000 each, and Mrs. Rachel Spellman, widow, received the balance. The chief asset was a fourth interest in the wholesale liquor business of E. L. Spellman & Co., 792 Washington St., $130,804.

FREEMAN, JOSEPH, (Feb. 14, 1916.) Net estate, $126,778. Mrs. Rosa Freeman, widow, received $116,778, and Harold S. Freeman, son, $10,000. Assets: An equity ($17,500) in 70 East 80th St., appraised at $37,500; deposits, $29,151; promissory notes and personal effects, $40,444, and stocks and bonds, $43,805.

Frequently the demand for The New York Times exceeds the supply. This is likely to occur oftener in the future, because of conditions of paper manufacture, and regular readers are cautioned to order their copies of The New York Times delivered or reserved.
—Advt.

ALLOTS $10,000,000 TO BUY FERTILIZER

Nitrate Bill Passed by Senate Looks to Doubling South's Corn and Cotton Crops.

TO RUSH OTHER FOOD BILLS

Department of Agriculture Urges Congress to Act Quickly—Serious Shortage of Farm Implements.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—Appropriation of $10,000,000 for purchase by the Government of nitrates for fertilizing purposes and their distribution at cost to farmers of the Atlantic seaboard would be authorized by a bill passed today by the Senate, 52 to 8. Increase in production of food crops, mostly in South Atlantic States, is the object sought. The bill provides for transportation of nitrates from Chile in Government vessels and their sale by Federal authorities to farmers.

Many Southern farmers and agricultural organizations indorsed the measure. Senators Smith of South Carolina and Smith of Georgia told the Senate that the Government could buy nitrates now stored in this country, sell them to the farmers, and later replace them by bringing in more from Chile. Several Senators who expressed fear that nitrate supplies needed for manufacture of powder might be depleted were told that present supplies were sufficient for two years.

The South Carolina Senator said that by making nitrates available at reduced prices the corn and cotton crops of the South Atlantic seaboard could be increased from 50 to 100 per cent. The proposed appropriation, he said, had the approval of Secretary Houston.

Senator Simmons of North Carolina declared middlemen's profits and lack of transportation facilities from Chile were responsible for exorbitant nitrate prices at present.

Senators Smoot, Townsend, Frelinghuysen, McCumber, and other Republicans opposed the bill as unnecessary, Senator Smoot declaring Chile's total annual exports could be bought for the $10,000,000 appropriated under the measure.

To make available quickly an appropriation for a food survey, the Department of Agriculture today asked, and the Senate and House Agricultural Committees agreed, to have the Administration food control legislation introduced in Congress in separate bills.

One measure, expected to pass without delay, will carry a $25,000,000 appropriation for the survey, and will provide for enlarging the department's staff, to permit supervision of seeding operations; another will include provisions for licensing and controlling storage and distributing concerns. The latter probably will meet with considerable opposition.

Both the House and Senate committees continued hearings during the day. Secretary Houston, before the House committee, urged prompt action on the legislation proposed and outlined the Government's price-fixing measures, to be written later.

The Senate committee heard Governor Frazier of North Dakota, who declared he believed farmers of his State would not oppose minimum price fixing. Prices had been set by gamblers, he said, and farmers, he thought, would not object to the Government fixing them if prices were made fair and equitable.

The Federal Trade Commission again today heard representatives of State Food Boards on food conditions throughout the country. Most of the delegates blamed high prices on middlemen. Some said a labor shortage had much to do with short crops, and suggestions were made that Orientals be imported for farm labor.

The food problem will be taken up tomorrow at a conference with representatives of State Defense Councils with the National Defense Council.

FARM IMPLEMENTS TOO FEW.

Shortage Due to Lack of Steel—Threatens Crop Production.

CHICAGO, May 1.—Members of the special committee appointed by the National Implement and Vehicle Association to co-operate with the Federal Government in the movement to increase this country's food production met here today and issued a statement calling attention to the fact that the success of the campaign will be seriously jeopardized because of a shortage of farm implements due to the inability of implement manufacturers to obtain more than 75 per cent. of the sheet steel needed to supply the normal demand of the farmers.

Attention is called to the fact that the farm implement manufacturers have practically no stock on hand, and that thousands of farmers in recent years have allowed their equipment to deteriorate to such an extent that many implements cannot be used this year without repairs. The implement manufacturers declare they were compelled to appeal to the Fderal Government recently in order to obtain 75 per cent. of their normal annual supply.

"All factories making tractor plows," says the statement, "are unable to meet the requirements of their trade. The corn acreage has been decreased by the shortage of listers, the tool necessary to plant corn in Fall wheat fields. A shortage of regular corn planters is also imminent. This is occasioned by inability to secure raw material, particularly iron and steel products.

"There are manufactured and sold to farmers in this country yearly approximately 100,000 harvesters and binders. A harvester and binder averages to cut fifty acres of wheat a year. This decrease in supply would result in decreasing the farmers' harvesting ability 1,250,000 acres. Allowing for the acreage production indicated by the Government in the 1915 crop analysis of 16.9 bushels per acre, we would have a loss of 2,115,000 bushels.

"In addition to this, binders are used for the harvesting of oats, barley, and rye, of which there are 50,000,000 acres planted per year, and a corresponding loss would be experienced in these crops.

"There are 80,000 corn planters a year sold in the United States. A corn planter averages to plant forty acres a year. Reducing this output 25 per cent. means a reduction of 800,000 acres planted, which, according to Government reports of production for 1915, of 28.2 bushels per acre, would mean a loss of 22,560,000 bushels of corn.

BAKERS' STRIKE PUTS CHICAGO ON RATIONS

Purchases of Bread and Flour Limited by Grocers—Federal Authorities Investigating.

CHICAGO, May 1.—Negotiations between Chicago's striking bakers and the bread manufacturers had reached a deadlock tonight, and as a result housewives were forced to what amounted to war rations of bread and flour. An inspection trip by Dr. John Dill Robertson, City Health Commissioner, disclosed that grocers were selling only about two loaves of bread to each householder, and flour only for immediate needs, the maximum sales being twenty-five pounds.

With almost 100 bakeries, among them the largest in the city, closed as a result of the strike, and the daily bread supply about 1,500,000 loaves short, the strikers apparently were clinging to their original demands for increased wages, shorter hours, and the right to approve or dismiss baking foremen, and the employers were firm in their refusal to grant them.

Coincident with the bread strike, a strike of 500 employes of the Albaugh-Dover Company, manufacturers of farming implements, attracted attention. According to officials of the company, the men walked out today with thirty minutes' notice after demanding a 20 per cent. increase in wages. Henry Albaugh, Secretary, said he believed the strike was brought on by foreign agents and was placing the matter in the hands of the Department of Justice.

MERIDEN, Conn., May 1.—Practically all of the union bakers in the city went on strike early today. Recently the journeymen presented to the employers a new contract from which was eliminated the arbitration clause of the old agreement. According to the employers the question of wages is not in dispute. The effects of the walkout were apparent in the restaurants this morning, where in place of fresh rolls and bread patrons had to be content with old bread.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 1.—Eighty per cent. of the bread production of Kansas City bakeries, according to owners' estimates, was cut off here today by a strike of bakers that began at midnight. More than 200 workers struck when their employers refused to grant increases of $2 a week.

SMALL BAKERS RAISE PRICES.

But Agree to Forego Profit Except a "Rational Salary."

Four hundred proprietors of independent baking establishments, a large majority of them Germans, meeting in Maennerchor Hall, Fifty-sixth Street, near Third Avenue, yesterday afternoon pledged themselves to bake bread during the war without profit "other than a rational salary for the personal work performed by us." It was decided, however, to have a minimum 10-cent loaf, and to reduce the production and advance the price of pastry and other oven luxuries. The small bakers produce about 40 per cent. of the bread sold in New York. The larger concerns had already fixed upon the minimum 10-cent loaf.

A spirit of Americanism pervaded the meeting. It was ruled at the outset that all speeches must be in English, and one man who insisted on his right to speak in German was put out of the hall.

"Every one here is a good American," said Maximilian Strasser, in opening the meeting. "If there is any baker in New York who is not a good American citizen, then he ought to be."

Taking issue with Health Commissioner Emerson, who is advocating the use of bread made with whole wheat flour, R. F. Bausman, New York representative of the Washburn-Crosby Company of Minneapolis, said yesterday that bread made from white flour was best for the nation.

No acute danger of a flour shortage exists, and the fear of it is responsible largely for the present high prices, according to George A. Zabriskie, New York agent for the Pillsbury Flour Mills Company.

German Minister Quits Cuba.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

HAVANA, May 1.—Friedrich von Verdy du Vernois, German Minister to Cuba, sailed today for New York via Key West. The Minister received his passports several weeks ago, but time was granted to him to arrange legation affairs. One legation Secretary has received permission to remain two weeks longer before finally turning over the legation to the Spanish Minister.

WAR PRICES TO NAVY MUST BE 'ONLY FAIR'

Jobbers Here Directed to Fill Orders, to be Paid For at Rates President Will Fix.

BIDS ASKED AND IGNORED

Authority for Action Granted In Last Naval Appropriation Law —Bliss Case Cited.

Wholesale grocers and food dealers who submitted bids on the big navy orders of April 19 have received notice from the Navy Department that they are to fill them at once at prices to be fixed later by the President of the United States. The notice was received while the dealers were anxiously awaiting news as to whether the department had accepted their bids, based on the prevailing high market prices. The action of the Navy Department was taken under a provision of the Naval Appropriation bill adopted last March, giving the President the power to purchase war supplies "at reasonable prices." This is the form of the notice received by New York firms:

> In accordance with the authority conferred on the President by the act of Congress March 5, 1917, I am directed to place with you the attached order. You will deliver the goods specified therein as directed, and the price to be paid therefor will be determined by the President in due course.
>
> Any representations you desire to make as to the price you claim for these goods should be submitted to this office with your bill on delivery. The attached order is based on proposals submitted by you to this office on April 19. Please acknowledge the receipt and acceptance of this order under the conditions of the same.
>
> C. T. WILLIAMS,
> Paymaster United States Navy.

This is the first time local jobbers have ever been called upon to deliver goods to the Government without knowing what prices were to be paid. The general opinion was that the Government had adopted the system for the purpose of making sure that it got the goods and at the same time preventing the advance in market prices, which was made about the time the Government asked for bids on the navy orders. One jobber ventured the opinion that in the future dealers might be rather slow to submit to the Government estimates of what they could furnish if they got a certain price, to be used as a basis for virtual commandeering of supplies, but the general sentiment was willingness to trust the President to see that prices were fair.

Harry Balfe, President of Austin, Nichols & Co., the largest wholesale grocery house in the world, and one of those who were ordered to supply goods to the navy, to be paid for later, said that if the Government wished to do business that way his company would do all it could to help fill orders.

"We are a patriotic concern," said Mr. Balfe. "We shall supply what we were asked to supply by the Navy Department, and as soon as we can. We have every faith in the President and the Government of the United States, and I feel confident that the price will be fair."

There was some talk yesterday of conferences between dealers and Government authorities to bring about a modification of the plan the Government appears to have adopted. Mr. Balfe said that no representative of his company had taken part in such a conference and that the company stood ready to accept the Government's orders. At the offices of the Wholesale Grocers' Association nothing was known of any such conference.

It was reported that representatives of other industries which will be called upon to furnish the Government with supplies will ask Washington if a like policy is to be followed with regard to other things the departments will need in wartime.

The power conferred on the President in the Naval bill not only enables him to take over supplies at prices to be determined, but empowers him to have the Government operate all plants turning out munitions, the plan being to pay the owners a small return on their investment in the form of interest rather than profits.

Jobbers expect to receive from Washington soon a request to make a report on all supplies in storage as of May 1. The Department of Agriculture made a similar request last May 1, but little significance was attached to it at that time.

While this is the first time the Government has taken over supplies at prices to be fixed later, it is not the first time the power conferred upon the President to fix reasonable prices for war supplies has been invoked. The last of March the E. W. Bliss Company of Brooklyn, which has the only private long-range torpedo plant, submitted prices which the Navy Department considered too high. Secretary Daniels ordered a careful estimate made of the cost of making torpedoes, after which, on April 4, Ralph Earle, Chief of the Bureau of Ordnance, notified the Bliss Company that it would be expected to supply the torpedoes at about $1,500 each less than the company bid. The bid prices of $9,164 and $7,816 were cut to $7,922 and $6,140, respectively. At that time Secretary Daniels issued a statement in which he said:

"As a result of invoking this new provision in the Naval bill, the department has saved $2,193,696 on one order. We expect all munition makers to furnish what the Government needs at prices which investigation shows to be reasonable, so that it will not be necessary to take over any plants."

CARRY YOUR PACKAGE HOME

W'oman Says Her Idea Would Release Thousands for Farm Work.

Women are advised to carry their own packages if they want to do something to release labor for the farm in a letter from Mrs. Edgar L. Morley of 520 West 140th Street made public yesterday by the Mayor's Committee on Food Gardens.

"If New York City wants to suggest a plan to send thousands to work on the farms let all the women carry home all their packages—dry goods, meats, groceries, and all," Mrs. Morney writes.

The National Wholesale Grocers' Association yesterday distributed to all retailers a pamphlet entitled "Our Opportunity to Serve Our Country" to be distributed among customers. Among the suggestions offered were these:

"Raise fruits and vegetables for your own and your neighbors' use. This can be your contribution to your country's need. This will leave for Winter use an ample supply of canned and evaporated foods. It will increase the supply for the future and thereby avoid unnecessary increase in prices at a time when food is scarce and prices are inclined to advance. Show the farmer that by planting only those things which yield him the largest return he creates a shortage of other things."

George W. Perkins, Chairman of the Mayor's Food Supply Committee, announced yesterday that within three days more than 500 persons had registered as willing to do farm work this Summer.

BROKERS TO AID BELGIUM.

J. A. Gade Appeals to Stock Exchange to Give $25,000.

The floor of the Stock Exchange was turned over to John A. Gade, assistant to Herbert C. Hoover, head of the Commission for Relief in Belgium, at the close of business yesterday, who asked the brokers to give $25,000 to aid Belgian relief work. It was prophesied that when the doors of the Exchange open this morning he would get more than that amount. Mr. Gade said more than 50 per cent of the people in Belgium were suffering from malnutrition and diseases.

The speaker insisted that the people of America should do more for Belgium. He said that $30,000,000 in profits had been made from the purchase of Belgian relief supplies in this country, and that the total American contribution to the relief fund was $12,000,000. Most of the $192,000,000 worth of food distributed in Belgium was purchased by the people of England and France, already short of food themselves, he said.

The people of Belgium, he said, have two uppermost sentiments—love of America and hatred of Germany.

Lectures on Railroading.

Frank Trumbull, Chairman of the Railway Executives' Advisory Committee and head of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, will open a course of lectures on transportation under the Page Foundation at the Sheffield Scientific School, Yale, the third week in May. Mr. Trumbull will address the students of the Wharton School of Finance and Economy of the University of Pennsylvania tonight.

LOSSES IN FRANCHISE TAX.

Offset Section of Law Has Caused $15,000,000 Deduction.

Of $110,462,352 in special franchise taxes levied in New York City in the seventeen years the law has been in effect, the city collected $74,837,250, or 67.75 per cent., according to a report made yesterday by Controller Prendergast, prepared by the Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics of the Department of Finance. Of the total levied, there was lost by special deductions and cancellations $31,014,745, or 28.08 per cent. On Dec. 31, 1916, there remained uncollected $4,610,265, or 4.17 per cent.

Of the amount rendered uncollectible, the report showed that $18,310,211 was lost through court orders reducing assessments, and a further loss to the city of $15,576,440.35 was due to Section 48 of the tax law, which permits the owner of a special franchise to deduct from the tax levied any payment made by the owner to the municipality by which the special franchise tax is imposed. In some cases, the report said, the legal deduction equaled or exceeded the amount of the franchise levy and resulted in relieving such concerns from the tax.

The report includes an estimate of the probable effect upon the city's revenues from special franchise taxation to be derived from the repeal of Section 48.

PASSES WAITRESSES' BILL.

Assembly Follows Senate In Restricting Hours of Employment.

ALBANY, May 1.—The Assembly today passed the Graves-Marsh bill restricting the hours of labor for women in restaurants. No woman under the ago of 16 years can be employed, and none can be permitted to work in a restaurant more than six days, or forty-four hours in one week, nor more than nine hours in any one day. She must not work before 6 o'clock in the morning nor after 10 o'clock in the evening.

The latter provision, however, does not apply to singers or performers of any kind, or attendants in cloak rooms, nor to women employed in connection with dining rooms and kitchens of hotels, or in a lunchroom conducted by an employer for the benefit of his employes.

The bill was passed by the Senate several weeks ago and now goes to Governor Whitman for his approval. If the bill is approved it will take effect on Oct. 1.

RUSH TO PAY CITY TAXES.

Record Receipts of $12,817,886 Attributed to Patriotism.

Yesterday was the biggest day in the history of the local Tax Department in the amount of taxes paid for both personal and real estate. The amount collected was $12,817,886. On May 1 of last year the receipts amounted to $11,626,312.

Yesterday's receipts were made up as follows: Manhattan, $9,822,064; the Bronx, $1,061,467; Brooklyn, $1,344,165; Queens, $418,307, and Richmond, $171,883. In Manhattan alone there was an increase of more than $500,000 in the collections. Tax Department officials said that the increase this year was undoubtedly due to war conditions, as patriotic citizens were anxious to discharge at once their debts to the city.

MASONS CHEER ROOSEVELT.

He Tells Grand Lodge He Wants to Go to the Firing Line.

Members of the Grand Lodge of Masons of the State of New York, at their 136th annual session yesterday afternoon at Masonic Hall, Sixth Avenue and Twenty-fourth Street, adopted resolutions offered by Supreme Court Justice Townsend Scudder, pledging their undivided support of the Government, and cheered Colonel Theodore Roosevelt's request that he be permitted to go at once with troops to the firing line in France. The Colonel also approved the law providing obligatory military service, and that sentiment was applauded lustily. It was a patriotic meeting from the first, and all other business was practically sidetracked for the time.

INQUEST ON SENTRY'S VICTIM

Jury Gives No Verdict in View of Military Trial.

The inquest into the death of Louis Feuerstein, 76 years old, of 62 West 112th Street, who was shot and killed two weeks ago by Private Thomas Allen of Company B, Forty-seventh Infantry, N. G. N. Y., on sentry duty at the railroad viaduct at 116th Street and Park Avenue, was held yesterday before Coroner Feinberg and a jury. Testimony was offered that Feuerstein was shot in the back. Allen is undergoing trial by court-martial at Governors Island, and the Coroner's jury made no recommendation.

Maurice Simmons, counsel for relatives of Feuerstein, said the old man was unable to understand English. He was on his way to a synagogue when the shooting occurred. Samuel Leserson of 438 Broadway, an eyewitness, testified that Allen stopped Feuerstein in the middle of the street and with leveled bayonet backed him up on the sidewalk. As Feuerstein turned partly around, he said, trying to shield himself with his right hand, in which he held a cane, the soldier fired.

Coroner Feinberg said:

"I regret that this old man, on his way to a synagogue, should have been the first killed in New York City as a result of the war. This should be a warning to every one that, should he at any time or place be stopped by a sentry, he must immediately obey the sentry's orders."

ORDERS MORE CARGO SHIPS.

Government Makes Contract with T. C. Desmond & Co. of This City.

The United States Government has contracted with T. C. Desmond & Co., engineers of this city, to build thirty wooden cargo ships to combat the German submarine menace, it was announced yesterday. The vessels will be constructed at yards owned by the company at Essex, Mass., and Thomaston, Me. It was said that another yard probably would be built immediately near New York City. The question of getting officers for the wooden fleet is one of the problems that the Federal Shipping Board is now said to face. Captain Reginald Fay, Secretary and Treasurer of the alumni of the New York Nautical School and Marine Superintendent of the New York Central Railroad, said:

"Officers for the merchant marine the scarce enough now, and the sudden demand that is coming will drain our resources. There must be three deck and three engineer officers on each vessel."

The alumni of the State Nautical School are now endeavoring to double the output of officers from the training ship Newport. Its present capacity is 100 students. It is now proposed to divide the work so that the technical training can be given ashore and the practical work done on the Newport.

NAVAL AVIATOR IS KILLED.

Ensign Vankirk Falls 1,000 Feet Into Pensacola Bay.

PENSACOLA, Fla., May 1.—Ensign D. R. Vankirk, U. S. N., fell 1,000 feet in an airplane into Pensacola Bay late today and was drowned in the wreckage of the machine.

Kingsbury Ill, His Trial Put Off.

Justice Walter H. Jaycox in the Supreme Court in Brooklyn yesterday adjourned indefinitely the trial of Commissioner of Charities John A. Kingsbury and William H. Hotchiss, his counsel, who are charged with wiretapping during the Strong investigation of the State Charities Department. Mr. Kingsbury, who was ill, appeared in Court accompanied by his physician, Dr. William Seaman Bainbridge. He was anxious for the trial to proceed, but the physician strongly advised against it. Martin W. Littleton, counsel for the defendants, moved for a mistrial and District Attorney Harry E. Lewis consented. The Justice then declared the proceedings a mistrial. Mr. Lewis said he could not tell when he would move for a trial.

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McADOO GETS RELIEF GIFTS.

At His Request Treasury Employes Subscribe to Red Cross.

In a circular letter received yesterday Secretary William G. McAdoo called upon all officers and employes of the Treasury Department in this city to make individual contributions to the National Red Cross. The letters were distributed in the Custom House, Appraiser's Stores, Barge Office, and the Internal Revenue offices in Manhattan and Brooklyn. Mr. McAdoo said he was calling upon each of the 30,000 employes of the Treasury Department throughout the country to contribute a small amount toward the fund.

"I should like each employe," said the letter, "receiving a salary of $1,000 or less to contribute fifty cents, each employe receiving a salary between $1,000 and $2,000 to contribute $1, and each official and employe receiving a higher salary than $2,000 to contribute $2. This will create a fund which can be used for the purchase of supplies and materials, which in turn can be made into suitable articles for the Red Cross work by the women of the Treasury Department, upon whom I should like to call for this service of distinction. I should like to have the men and women of the department, without a single exception, make the small contributions I have suggested for this noble and humanitarian purpose."

Heads of various offices of the Treasury Department in this city yesterday appointed members of their staffs to solicit contributions, and by 4:30 P. M., the official closing hour, practically all of the Treasury's force here had made their donations.

Crowell Quits Business Chamber.

Dr. John Franklin Crowell has resigned as Executive Officer of the Chamber of Commerce of the State of New York. His successor has not yet been selected, and it is understood to be the desire of the Chamber's Executive Committee to employ a publicity expert. Dr. Crowell is now on a vacation, and upon his return he expects to specialize in the study of "after-the-war" problems, identifying himself with large industrial enterprises in an advisory capacity.

Shackleton to Lecture Again.

Lord and Lady Aberdeen have enlisted Sir Ernest Shackleton to repeat the story of the "White Warfare of the Antarctic" on Tuesday, May 8, at Aeolian Hall in aid of the child saving work in Ireland and the city of Dublin Red Cross, which includes the hospital branch with 300 patients in Dublin Castle. Sir Ernest made the stipulation that a share of the proceeds should go to the fund he is raising for dependents of men lost on his Antarctic expedition.

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LOST—$200 reward and no questions asked for return of cord chain, with crystal of diamond ornament, and platinum and diamon lorgnon, about 10 A. M., Tuesday, May 1, 48th St., between Madison & 6th Av., or Carlton House. Dreicer & Co., Inc., 560 5th Av.

LOST—On 5th Av., between 22d and 42d Sts., black leather handbag containing cash and Wells Fargo traveler's checks. Liberal reward if returned to cashier, Hotel Astor.

LOST—Special Account Passbook No. K-1295 of Rosa Douras, issued by the Chatham and Phenix National Bank; all persons are warned against receiving said book for value. The Chatham and Phenix National Bank.

LOST—Black velvet handbag, containing small purse, sum money, owner's name, address; Kaiser Keller or Times Square subway; reward. O. E. Auerbach, 21 Fort Washington Av.

LOST—Gold bar pin with diamond, ruby, and sapphire, 125th St. car, or subway. Reward for return to Mrs. Hamlin, 105 Morningside Av.

SUITABLE REWARD for pocketbook, lost ladies' room Hudson Terminal last Saturday; no questions asked. H. McArdle, 258 Broadway, city.

LOST—April 24, at or near Fox Crotona Theatre, brown fur neckpiece; $10; no questions asked. P. Dolan, 1,882 Concourse. 6181 Tremont.

LOST—Double diamond bar pin, Au Caprice Restaurant, or in taxicab from there to 250 West 78th; liberal reward. Apt. 96, 740 West End Av.

LOST—Green silk umbrella, Monday night, Schuyler Theatre, 82d St.; reward. Rector 9060.

LOST—Reward, cameo pin surrounded with pearls, lost Monday, 8th Av. car to 144th St. Wiechers, Melrose 3325.

LOST—Diamond platinum rim, off square wrist watch, Monday, April 30; reward. Return to Warrington, 148 West 57th.

LOST.—Pearl barpin, Monday afternoon; reward. Rabinowitz, 1,280 Amsterdam Av. Morningside 4046.

LOST.—April 20, in Maxine Elliott's Theatre, diamond and platinum ring; liberal reward. F 158 Times.

REWARD.—May 1, Broadway, 71st, 76th, 17 sapphires graduated in barpin. Return Apt. 2 North, 171 West 71st.

LOST—April 26, plain barpin, ¾ carat solitaire stone in centre; liberal reward. Collins, 3 East 28th St.

LOST—Silver vanity case; lost at Sterns's Department Store, May 1; suitable reward. H. S. Ford, 8 James St.

LOST.—Eyeglasses, case, 40th and 49th Sts., Park Av. Propp, 222 West 46th St.

LOST—Diamond cat's head pin, emerald eyes; liberal reward. Sanders, 3,495 Broadway.

LOST—Gold barpin, amethyst, with two small pearls; reward. Ford, 512 Washington St.

Lost and Found—Cats and Dogs.

FOUND.—Last Sunday, brindle bulldog; J. Maher name on collar. Phone Jamaica 1039.

LOST—Brindle Scottish terrier, about a year old, answering to name of Mack. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning to 26 West 54th St.

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